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BIRTHS.

BARR—March 23, 1940, at Fitzwilliam Nursing Home, Dublin, to Jennie, wife of D. E. Barr, Bank of Ireland, Omagh, a son.

BURKE—March 23, 1940, at Leinster Nursing Home, Dublin, to Margaret, wife of Dr. J. Burke, Bealadangan, Co. Galway, a daughter.

FORSYTH—March 22, 1940, at Hatch Street Nursing Home, to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Forsyth, of 8 Holyrood Park, Ballsbridge, the gift of a daughter (Dorothy Mills).

SWEETMAN—March 28, 1940, at the Leinster Private Nursing Home, to Ellen, wife of Malachi Sweetman, Ballycourcy, Enniscorthy, Co. Wexford, a son.

MARRIAGES.

MORRIS and RICHARDSON—March 29, 1940, at Seremban, Malaya, Douglas E. D. Morris, Royal Berkshire Regiment, son of Major and Mrs. Morris, Barkham, Wokingham, to Joan, younger daughter of the late T. H. Richardson and Mrs. Richardson, Bemersyde, Warrenpoint.

THOMPSON and KELLY—March 30, 1940, at Malone Presbyterian Church, Belfast, quietly, by Rev. J. Stuart Cameron, M.A., B.D., Sub-Lieutenant (E.) William Gilmour Thompson, R.N.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. V. Thompson, 58 Myrtlefield Park, Belfast, to Marguerite Longmuir, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Kelly, 30 Maryville Park, Belfast.

DEATHS.

DWYER — April 2, 1940, at Mater Misericordiæ Nursing Home, Eccles street, Very Rev. Michael Dwyer, P.P., Church of the Holy Name, Beechwood avenue. R.I.P. Remains will be removed this (Wednesday) evening at 6.30 to the Church of the Holy Name. Requiem Office and High Mass to-morrow (Thursday), April 4th, at 11 a.m. Funeral immediately afterwards to Glasnevin.

GEELAN—April 1, 1940, at his residence, St. Mary's road, Galway, Patrick E. Geelan, Managing Director, Alexander Moon, Ltd., and brother of Sister M. Benignus, Presentation Convent, Tiernee. Remains were removed to St. Joseph's Church at 6 p.m. (S.T.) yesterday (Tuesday). Solemn Requiem Mass at 11 a.m. to-day (Wednesday). Funeral immediately afterwards to New Cemetery, Galway.

GRIMES—April 2, 1940, the Venerable Archdeacon Grimes, P.P., St. Kevin's, Harrington street. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to-morrow (Thursday) evening, 6.45, to the Church of St. Kevin's, Harrington street. Requiem Office and High Mass on Friday next, April 5, at 11 a.m. Funeral immediately afterwards to Glasnevin.

HARTE—April 1, 1940, at his residence, Abingdon, Shankill, Co. Dublin, Edward Carolin (Ted), second son of the late Dr. John Farren Harte, Coolmaine, Queen's County. Funeral (private) at 10 o'clock to-morrow (Thursday) morning to Dean's Grange. No flowers.

HYLAND—April 2, 1940, at his residence, Post Office, Corrawallen, Carrigallen, William Hyland. Deeply regretted. Funeral to-morrow (Thursday) to Corrawallen Church at 3 o'clock (old time).

KAVANAGH—April 1, 1940, at his residence, 20 Clarinda Park, Dun Laoghaire, Thomas Kavanagh. R.I.P. Deeply regretted. Funeral (private) to Glasnevin after 10 o'clock Mass at St. Michael's Church, Dun Laoghaire to-day (Wednesday).

O'REILLY—April 1, 1940, at 12 Summerville Park, Rathmines, Dublin, Frances Mary. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to Church of the Three Patrons, Rathgar, this (Wednesday) evening at 6.30 o'clock. Funeral after 10 o'clock Mass to-morrow (Thursday) to Glasnevin.

ROSE—March 30, 1940, at 19 Highfield road, Rathgar, Florence, relict of the late Captain H. R. Rose. R.I.P. Interment took place at Dean's Grange Cemetery 2nd April, 1940.

SHAW—April 2, 1940 (result of an accident), at Musgrave Clinic, Belfast, Mary M., dearly-loved wife of Flight-Lieutenant D. E. Shaw, late of 12 Balliefeary road, Inverness. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband and family.—Hall's Hotel, Antrim, Co. Antrim.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 4.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mrs. Patrick Caulfield, 11 Gulistan place, wishes to thank those who sent letters of condolence, and all who attended the funeral of her husband, Patrick Caulfield, late of Crampton's, Ballsbridge, and trusts this will be accepted in gratitude.

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NOTICE TO BUILDING CONTRACTORS.
Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and marked "Tender for Works B ——," numbered as in the First Column of the Schedule hereto for the construction of the buildings specified in the said Schedule, will be received up to, but not later than, Noon on the 18th April, 1940. Plans and Specifications may be seen at this Office or on the lands when an Inspector will attend to point out sites.
The Land Commission will consider Tenders for one or more works.

Works No.	County.	Buildings Required.	Situation of Sites.	Time and date Inspector will attend to point out sites (Summer Time).
B. 1517	Carlow.	3 dwellinghouses and 3 out-offices.	Lands of Lisnacoonly, about 1 mile north of Myshall.	2 p.m., 10th April, 1940.
B. 1518	Galway.	2 dwellinghouses and 2 out-offices.	Lands of Carrowreagh, about 8 miles west of Ballinasloe and 2 miles north of village of Kilconnell.	2.30 p.m., 9th April, 1940.
B. 1520	Limerick.	4 dwellinghouses and 6 out-offices.	Lands of Ballymartin, about 14 miles west of Limerick City, or 6 miles north-east of Askeaton Railway Station.	10.30 a.m., 10th April, 1940.
B. 1521	Limerick.	2 dwellinghouses and 2 out-offices.	Lands of Curraghane North, about 14 miles west of Limerick City or 5 miles east of Askeaton Railway Station.	12 noon, 9th April, 1940.
B. 1522	Meath.	1 dwellinghouse.	Lands of Gallow, about 3 miles south of Summerhill.	1 p.m., 10th April, 1940.
B. 1523	Offaly.	1 dwellinghouse and 1 out-office.	Lands of Derrinlough, about 3½ miles south of Cloghan.	4 p.m., 9th April, 1940.
B. 1524	Offaly.	1 dwellinghouse.	Lands of Clooney Beg, about 3 miles north-east of Banagher.	3 p.m., 9th April, 1940.
B. 1525	Roscommon	1 dwellinghouse and 1 out-office.	Lands of Knockagonnell, about 1 mile south of Ballymoe.	12 noon, 9th April, 1940.
B. 1526	Westmeath.	2 dwellinghouses and 2 out-offices.	Lands of Lisnagree, about 2 miles from Streamstown Station.	3.30 p.m., 9th April, 1940.
B. 1527	Westmeath.	2 dwellinghouses and 2 out-offices.	Lands of Portloman, about 4 miles north of Mullingar.	12 noon, 10th April, 1940.
B. 1528	Westmeath	1 dwellinghouse and 1 out-office.	Lands of Streamstown, about 14 miles from Mullingar and about 18 miles from Athlone.	3 p.m., 9th April, 1940.

Plans and Specifications for each work may be obtained on application to this Office—the envelope being clearly marked "Application for Plans"—on deposit of £1, which should be forwarded by cheque or postal order, and not in cash, and which will be refunded on the return of the Plans and specifications.
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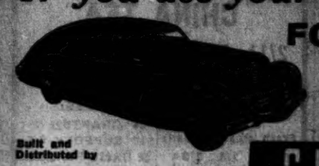

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WANTED, April 10th, for Howth, sisters or friends as GENERAL and NURSE HOUSEMAID; good plain cooking essential; partly trained Nurse Housemaid might suit; small family. Apply, with copies references.—G 1782, this office. 1 E

WANTED, settled GENERAL (Protestant); County Wexford; easy place; send copies references, age, wages required. Address "Z 4285, General," this office. 2 D

WANTED daily, experienced General, good appearance, young, as DOMESTIC HELP, 9.15 to 5 p.m.; no rough work.—B O 31, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

NURSES WANTED.

WANTED immediately, refined, experienced young GIRL (Protestant), take charge 2 children, aged 5 and 3. Write, stating wages and enclosing copies references, Aix-en-Ciel, Greystones.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

HOUSE PARLOURMAID WANTED early in May; thoroughly experienced; housemaid kept.—G 1886, this office. 2 F

DOMESTICS DISENGAGED.

LADY recommends Girl for Light Housework; nominal wages.—1694, Irish Times Branch Office, Bray.

REPECTABLE Woman wants Daily Work, Cleaning, etc.; highly recommended.—G 1836, this office.

WOMAN wants Daily or Weekly work; small family, 8 to 29, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

YOUNG Girl, Help in lady's home; good reference. Address "Z 4260, Help," this office. 1 C

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MOUNT STREET CLUB

PRESENTATION OF FIRST-AID CERTIFICATES

An enjoyable function at the Mount Street Club marked the presentation of First-Aid certificates to members who were successful at the examinations of the St. John Ambulance Association. The certificates were presented by District Officer J. Gully, of the Brigade, in the presence of a representative gathering, which included Dr. P. N. Le Seager, Messrs. A. E. Wilson, E. M. McGuire (director), J. Cullinan, A. Stewart, J. Gaynor (Headquarters Division), and members of the club.

The recipients were. Messrs. E. and W. McGrath, P. Hanrahan, J. O'Connor, R. Reid, W. Ryan, P. Leo, A. Stewart (voucher), F. Storey (voucher), and H. Evans (label).

Introducing District Officer Gully, Mr. McGuire (director) conveyed the Governors' congratulations to the First-Aid class, together with thanks for the splendid manner in which Dr. Seager had made its success possible. It was, he said, a great tribute to all concerned that a high proportion of candidates had passed the examinations. District Officer Gully, presenting the certificates, said that there was ample scope in the Brigade for turning First-Aid knowledge to good account.

Dr. Seager said that the instructing of the class had been a great pleasure to him, and that the examinations results had shown that his time had been well spent at the club. He was ready at any time to coach the classes in the club, and was looking forward to the next one.

Mr. A. E. Wilson (Governor) stressed the importance of an up-to-date knowledge of First-Aid, and the need for "refresher" courses.

The service of tea was followed by an enjoyable musical programme, to which the following contributed: Messrs. Wilson, Gaynor, Dunne, Healy, Gorman, P. Smith, Malvor, McShane, J. Smith, Counsel, T. Fox (piano), and J. Cullinan (violin).

FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS

CATTLE.

MANCHESTER.—The moderate supplies of fat cattle received at the Moss Wheel collecting centre for the Manchester area were not of a very high standard of quality. The majority of the beasts were fat cows, only six being heifers. A small number of sheep and calves were also received. After grading they were allocated to Government slaughter houses.

MANCHESTER PIG.—About 400 head will be available for grading and allocation this week at the Water Street collecting centre, but there is every probability that these will be augmented by arrivals from other districts. Fair supplies expected in the near future. Quality generally well up to the average.

GRAIN.

DUBLIN GRAIN.—Sales continue quiet in the main, with offering ample at:—Oats 24/- to 26/- per barrel delivered.

BALTIC.—Wheat—The following are f.o.b. quotations:—No. 1 Northern Manitoba (Halifax-St. John), first half April, 38/-; No. 2 ditto, 37/-; No. 1 do. Montreal May, 36/6; 1st half April, 38/-; No. 2 ditto, 37/-; No. 1 ditto Montreal, May, 36/6; first half June, 36/6; No. 2 ditto, May, 35/9; No. 1 ditto (Van.), early April, 32/1½; No. 2 ditto, 31/7½; No. 1 Canadian Western Garnet (Van.), early April, 30/1½; Australian bulk, April, 28/3; bags, April, 27/9; Barusso (62lb.), new crop, April, 26/-; Barll ditto, 26/- per 480lb. MAIZE quietly steady. Plate new crop, last half April, 14/6; May, 14/4½; Danubian kils dried, April, 20/-; No. 3 yellow American (Baltimore), first half April, 23/10½ per 480lb. BARLEY maintained. Plate, 64-65 kilos, April, 16/-; No. 2 Canadian Western six row Montreal, May, 24/9; No. 3 ditto last half May, also first half June, 24/4½ per 400lb. OATS sparingly offered. No. 2 Canadian Western (Montreal), May 22/7½; first half June 20/6 per 320lb.

LIVERPOOL.—WHEAT in fair request at 1/- on farm and 6/- to 8/6 per cwt. for seed purposes. MAIZE firmly held £6 per ton, but no releases made yesterday. FLOUR deliveries about normal at 22/- per sack for straight run delivered, and Manitoba fairly active at 23/-, including bags. OATS steady, with feeding in fair demand at 11/- milling quiet at 12/- and seed oats again freely offered at 12/- to 13/- per cwt. PEAS in limited supply at 27/6 for New Zealand and 28/- per cwt. Canadian. WHEATFEEDS dull at 2/- per cwt. for bran and thirds, but little available. Wheat and Maize futures controlled. Prices for shipment f.o.b.—Wheat 1½d. to 3d. per cl. dearer owing to better tendency at Chicago. Barley, shorts 1½d. advance, but Oats little altered. No. 1 Manitoba Wheat (Montreal) May raised to 36/7½, No. 2 35/10½, No. 2 (Van.) early April 31/6, No. 1 Canada Western Garnet (Van.) early April 30/-, No. 2 Canada Western Barley six-row (Montreal) May 24/-, No. 2 Canada Western Oats (Montreal) May 3[illegible] per cl.

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN FISH.—Fish supplies included 231 boxes from one trawler; 41 packages salmon, 60 boxes herrings, three lots lobsters and a sprinkling from country and local senders. Demand fair at:—Salmon 1/8 to 2/2, soles (black) 8d. to 1/4, plaice 3/- to 7/6, whiting 2/- to 3/- per lb.; lobsters 21/- to 47/- per lb.; herrings 2/- to 30/-, plaice 49/- to 66/-, dabs and flounders 26/- to 47/-, cod 30/- to 64/-, whiting 35/- to 64/-, white soles 30/- to 120/-, codshead 15/- to 16/-, ray 20/- to 36/-, pollack 40/- to blossom 48/- to 52/-, hake (small) 57/- to 63/-, ling 41/-, prawns 18/- to 20/-, and monks 54/- per box.

DUBLIN BUTTER AND EGG.—Following the Government Order advancing creamery prices, sales have eased somewhat, with stocks ample for all requirements at 159/- cash and 161/- credit sales. Egg production further increased, and, notwithstanding the high rates ruling, both trade and prices continue to slump at:—Specials 12/8 to 13/4, standards 11/9 to 12/6, selected 11/- to 11/9, pullets 10/- to 11/-, selected duck 12/- to 12/6, and small, strong 11/-, per 120.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.—Home-grown arrivals moderate, with demand and prices well maintained at—York cabbage, large 30/- to 70/-, small 20/- to 40/-, savoy, large 40/- to 110/-, small 20/- to 30/-, spring cabbage, selected, table 2/6 to 3/6, others 1/6; mangolds 1/9 per cwt.; lettuce 1/- to 3/-, cauliflowers 2/6 to 4/-, seconds 6d. to 2/-; red cabbage 2/6 dozen; sprouts 1/6 to 4/-; artichokes 2/6 to 3/-, parsley 2/- chip, 10/- bag; spinach 2/- to 3/-, parsnips 5/- to 9/-, leeks 1/6 to 6/-, mint 1/6 to 4/-, rhubarb 1/- to 3/-, thyme 1/6 to 2/-, carrots 2/- to 4/- dozen bunches, 10/- to 14/- bag, cucumbers 2/6 to 3/9 each, beet 3/- to 5/- boat, celery 1/- to 2/-, turnips 4d. to 8d., scallions 8d. to 2/- bunch; mushrooms 1/6 to 2/6 per lb., and cooking apples 8/- to 15/- bushel. Imported fruits in excess of moderate buying at—Apples 21/- to 25/-, pears 24/- to 25/- box. Oranges—Jaffa 16/- to 18/- case, Valencia 13/- to 16/6 half-case, Navels 9/- to 11/- box; lemons 20/- to 25/- case, 14/- to 17/- box. Grapes—Belgian 3/- per lb., Cape 1/- to 18/- box; grapefruit 12/- to 15/- case; pineapples 3/- to 5/- each; Cape plums 6d. to 8d. per lb.; peaches 6/- to 10/- tray; Tunis dates 6/- to 9/- dozen packages, Canary tomatoes 16/- to 17/- boat, English cucumbers 1/6 each. Onions—Spanish 30/- case, Dutch 10/- half-bag, Egyptian 22/- bag; and kidney beans 3/- per lb.

DUBLIN POULTRY.—Poultry supplies small and readily cleared at previous full terms. Rabbits plentiful, with best fresh arrivals steady, poor or badly handled lots slow and cheaper. Fowl—Chickens, small 1/3 to 1/3½, large 1/1½ to 1/3 per lb.; large fat hens 3/- to 3/6, others 1/6 to 2/6 each; rabbits, best fresh 10d. to 11d., Guinea fowl in feathers 2/6 to 2/9 and old ducks 1/- to 2/- each.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Supplies in excess of fair demand around 5/6 to 6/- per cwt. for best table classes.

MANCHESTER MEAT.—Home-killed lamb rather lighter supply otherwise allocations similar to last week. Moderate pitchings of pork. Home-killed Beef—Sides 7d. to 9d., hindquarters 8d. to 10d., forequarters 6d. to 8d.; veal carcases 11d., bobbies 7d.; pork carcases 1/-, less heads 1/0½; mutton and lamb carcases first quality 1/-; mutton, second, 6½d. Imported—Beef, hindquarters, 8d., forequarters 6d., crops 6½d.; mutton 6½d., lambs 9d.; pork carcases 6d., less heads 9½d.

MANCHESTER SALMON AND POULTRY.—Moderate supplies of salmon continue to come to hand, but demand rather quiet. Prices rather easier. Irish now quoted 2/5 per lb. Arrivals of dead poultry somewhat irregular. Irish and English chickens quoted 1/8, fowls 1/3, ducklings 1/4 to 1/6, turkeys 1/6. Canadian chickens 1/6 per lb., best trapped rabbits dearer at 2/6 per couple.

GRIMSBY FISH.—Soles 1/4, slips 1/- to 1/2, turbot 1/5 to 1/8, brill 1/4 to 1/6, salmon 2/6 per lb., best plaice 18/- to 20/-, small 8/- to 10/-, lemon soles 21/-, whiting 11/-, cod 6/- to 8/-, codlings 5/- to 8/-; small haddocks 8/-, medium 11/-, gibbed 10/6, large dabs 14/-, small 7/6, dogfish 8/6 per stone.

MANCHESTER BUTTER.—Supplies have been more than ample to meet the requirements of the public. First hand price 143/-, wholesalers 150/-. BACON—Available supplies ample for the moderate demand. New time table now in operation. One week's allocation will be made to wholesalers. Bindal prices to wholesalers—Wiltshire cut sides 113/6, three-quarters 120/6, Spencers and Cumberlands 111/6, middles 122/6, hocks cut in U.K. 140/6, cut outside U.K. 131/6, streaky 84/6, clear bellies 86/6; forea and square 90/6, forea hocks and picnics 70/6. North Ireland rolls 123/6. Wholesaler to retailer:—Wiltshires 126/-, three-quarters 133/-, Spencers and Cumberlands 133/-, middles 134/-, hacks cut in U.K. 153/-, cut outside U.K. 143/-, streaks 96/-, clear bellies 104/-, foreas and squares 104/-, fore hocks and picnics 82/-. North Ireland rolls 133/-. HAMS—Rather light supplies; demand quiet. Green to wholesalers, 118/6; to retailers, 130/-, smoked 10/- extra. LARD—English refined firm. Imported scarce. First-hand price 142/6, wholesalers 146/8. CHEESE—Little or no change in Lancashire, Cheshire or Colonial. EGGS steady. Fine specials 14/-, standards 13/6, selected 12/6, English 14/6; Northern Ireland specials 15/6, standards 14/6, selected 13/6; Danish 13/6 to 14/6, Rumanians 13/6, Egyptians 9/-.

LIVERPOOL.—No feature of new interest presented itself in this market yesterday, the supplies of commodities under control being generally sufficient for all requirements and distributed at late rates through the usual channels.

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PRODUCE.

LONDON.—COCOA steady. Accra G/F old crop spot sellers 34/3, ditto new 35/- per cwt., new about 29/3 per 50 kilos c.i.f. SPICE slow. Black Lampong spot in bond sellers 3½d., April-May 2¼d., white Muntok spot in bond 4½d., ditto duty paid 5½d., April-May 4½d.; white Java spot in bond 5½d., black Singapore April-May 3d. GINGER—Jamaica spot 90/-, April-May, 94/-; Madagascar spot 104/-, April-May spot, c.i.f. Pimento spot sold 1/1½ and buyers. Ginger—African spot sellers 30/-, April-May 22/6. Sago Flour—Sellers, April-May 17/1½. Desiccated Coconut—Fine, cut spot 27/6, medium 27/6, halves, April-May, nominally 22/-, per cwt. c.i.f. SHELLAC quiet. Fair T.N. spot sellers 83/- to 86/-, as to quality and quantity; to arrive 76/- c.i.f. ALMONDS firmer. Best spot 100/-, pure bitter, ditto 127/6, fine orange 130/- to 170/- per cwt. GUNNIES steady. Hessians, 10 oz. for 40 June shipment, sellers 48/6; 8 oz. ditto, 23/9 per 100 yards c.i.f. Calcutta. Linseed "A" spot 32/-, April-May ditto, ex Calcutta 100 bags c.i.f. RUBBER—Sheet, spot sold 11½d

IRISHMAN'S DIARY

"Jack" Henry Leaves Ireland : Up and Down the Stairs
An Unwanted Arcade

An Arcade Puzzle

More than ten years ago the Board of Works, displaying an unwonted sense of commercial values, seized the idea of securing a handsome rent-roll from a series of ground-floor annexes to the new G.P.O. in Henry street and in the arcade which runs through to Prince's street.

Now—witness the accompanying picture—at least a dozen of these "arcadian" ventures still present rows of dreary and deserted hoardings, telling the story of central shops "eating their heads off," while immediately adjacent premises command handsome rents.

One asks—why? Is it that Dublin's shoppers have some traditional dislike for covered shop centres? Or is it merely that civil servants' ideas of commercial enterprise have yet to be developed?

Whatever the explanation may be, it seems to be reasonably certain that private enterprise would long since have found

some means to turn such ideally situated central premises into rent-earning assets. Some day "red tape" marketing methods must be abandoned.

What about a public auction of the whole block in the hope that new methods will provide attractions that bureaucracy is unwilling, or unable, to supply?

"Jack" Henry's Departure

Dublin has just lost—only for a time, let me hope—one of her most brilliant and popular young surgeons in the person of Mr. R. F. Jack Henry, M.B., F.R.C.S.I., who, having volunteered for service with the Royal Army Medical Corps, has been called up lately, and has now gone across the Channel.

Mr. Henry is one of five surgeons who have been called up in their capacity as specialists: three are from London, one from Belfast, and Mr. Henry completes the quintette.

He will be missed by a large number of friends in Dublin, particularly in Trinity College, where he has been Lecturer in Applied Anatomy for a number of years, and where, as a student, he had a highly successful career. During his time in the Medical School he was Surgical Travelling Prizeman and Bennett Medallist, as well as Medical Scholar in Anatomy.

For some years past he has been a member of the surgical staff of the Royal City of Dublin Hospital, and, although he still is quite a young man, he is in the front rank of Irish surgeons.

A Splendid Joke

Jack Henry—for nobody ever refers to him as anything else, and, as the "Jack" is a surname, its use implies no undue familiarity—also is well known as a sportsman. He is a keen sailor, an admirable shot, an enthusiastic angler, and a member of the governing body of that most remarkable and delightful of all golf clubs—the Island, at Malahide.

By a curious coincidence, Jack Henry was the amused victim of a particularly stupid "joke" recently, when he received through the post a white feather! Other medical men in the city also had this experience; but, as Mr. Henry was among the first volunteers in Ireland, the gentleman, or lady, with the perverted sense of humour was badly off the mark.

On behalf of his many friends and admirers, I wish him the best of hunting, and, what is more important, the happiest of landings!

The 'Bus Conductor's Weight

During a talk with a Dublin 'bus conductor the other day I learned that changes in weight are sometimes suffered by conductors when they are transferred from one route to another.

This conductor had been changed over from a busy North side route to a route on the South side which recently received "double-deckers," and found that he had put on weight very rapidly. He believed that this increase was due to the fact that few people on his new route used the upper deck of the 'bus, and he was not getting the same exercise—running up and down stairs—as on his old route.

Incidentally, did you know that former officials of the Tramways Company apparently bowed to the common superstition about No. 13, and no tram service ever bore that number? The present officers, however, do not appear to be superstitious, and there is now a No. 13 omnibus service running across the city.

QUIDNUNC.

DUBLIN OLD MEN'S HOME

SUPPORT URGENTLY NEEDED

Mr. Frank A. Lowe presided at the annual meeting of the supporters of the Old Men's Home, Northbrook road, Leeson Park, Dublin, yesterday.

The 29th annual report of the Trustees and Governors, as submitted by the secretary (Mr. T. V. Shellard), stated that the subscriptions and donations for the past year showed a further decrease from the previous year, which is a very serious matter for the institution, which is largely dependent on this source of income. The Trustees and Governors appeal to the present subscribers to bring the merits of the Home before their friends in the hope that it may lead to increased financial support. The Trustees and Governors recorded their appreciation of the efficient manner in which the matron (Miss McMunn) carried out her duties.

The report was adopted.

The Rev. Noble Hamilton said that the Home was deserving of the warmest support. It was a blessing to elderly poor men to find that they had somebody to look after them and it was run efficiently.

Mr. W. B. Conyngham said that the Home was one which the City of Dublin owed something to.

Messrs. Craig, Gardner and Co. were reappointed auditors.

Mr. Conyngham thanked the Ladies' Committee for their services to the Home in the past.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—10 a.m. Psalm, 16. Chant, 48. Urbs Fortitudinis, 53. Hymn, 763. Evensong at 4 o'clock. Men's voices. Psalm, 18 (1-31). Chant, 16. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Howson in A minor. Anthem, "Sing we merrily," Rend.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL. — Matins at 10.45 o'clock. Venite, 63. Psalm, 15 (54). Jubilate, 66. Litany. Evensong at 3 o'clock. Men's voices only. Psalm, 18, 32 to end (7). Magnificat, 2. Anthem, "Thou shalt show me the path of life," John Goldwin (d. 1719).

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, Rathmines—Holy Communion and address at 11.15 a.m. Mothers' Union Service. Short mid-week Service at 7.30 p.m. Service of Intercession. Meeting of Easter Vestry in the Parochial Hall at 8 p.m.

THE MAGDALEN CHURCH, Lower Leeson street.—The Church's Ministry of Healing. Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Healing Service, with Laying-on of Hands and address, at 3 o'clock.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin, Lower Baggot street (a branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.). Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday, Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room (same address) open daily from 12 noon.

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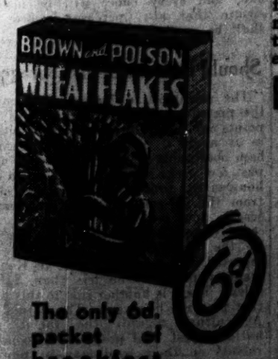

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

"VOLES"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Mr. Moffat is quite right. There are no voles in Ireland. But the water rat is guilty of destroying trout fry and spawn. I was aware that there are no weasels in Ireland. But I fell into the colloquial when writing. In discussing hedgerow life with a Limerick county man, Mr. Moffat would hear much about the peculiar habits of the "parkapine." There are no porcupines in Ireland. The labourer would be referring to the hedgehog.

More power to "Limerick Bird Lover." She or he states the absolute truth. My parish is sixteen miles long. But, with one exception, all goldfinches seen in that area were caged. There is one in a cage prominently displayed not two hundred yards from this house.

Here are a few facts which may interest the members of the various societies contributing to this correspondence.

Game—The writer is frequently approached by furtive-looking individuals offering netted plover. They say they are permitted to do so by the authorities. Yet the writer requires a £2 licence to shoot the same.

Song Birds—I have, in common with others, stated that these birds are trapped in defiance of the law, especially during the recent frost.

Fish—In the Midlands salmon were speared in the close season. For every salmon landed at least four escaped wounded. Later when the fish floated up in a dying condition the hole in their backs was attributed to the heron, no doubt. Not only are all these activities against the law, and carried on under the eyes of the law, but we have societies purporting to see that the law is enforced.

Might I suggest that, instead of indulging in mild polemics in this journal, the various societies of Mr. Moffat, Mr. Verschoyle and the anglers co-operate. Co-ordination of their activities would not only ensure that no species was extinguished, but would preserve the amenities of the Irish countryside, one of Ireland's few national assets.

The societies would be well advised to seek the assistance of the Tourist Association and, above all, that of Muintir na Tire. The latter society is very comprehensive in its membership and includes doctors, lawyers, traders, farmers and labourers. It obviously reaches people whom neither Mr. Moffat's nor Mr. Verschoyle's societies can reach. Muintir na Tire could render invaluable aid in the matter of the preservation of our fowl, fish and small, but necessary, mammals.

As a free-lance journalist, I have done as much as I could to advertise this country as a sportsman's paradise and a second heaven for tourists. But it would seem from this correspondence that the people least concerned with the preservation of the countryside are we Irish ourselves. Would any of your contributors care to contemplate the day when a more enlightened generation will curse ours as a lot of fools who did to our birds and animals what indiscriminate killing did to the passenger pigeon, the eagles and the great auk.

Now then, societies, show us that you can do other things besides writing letters.

Re rat-traps, I have long ago abandoned them as difficult, inefficient and dangerous. Exhaust fumes and rubber hose are much better. But the hawks are excellent.

And now, sir, I must conclude what is my final letter in a correspondence which has been entertaining, instructive and, I hope, profitable.—Yours, etc.,

F. W. R. KNOWLES.

The Rectory, Croom, Co. Limerick,
March 30th, 1940.

"NEW ULSTER"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I am glad that Mr. Monet O'Sullivan has admitted, with such exactness of detail, that the name "New Ulster" was that originally applied to an important part of New Zealand, and, therefore, that Lord Craigavon's use of the term was not, as his first letter might suggest, a mere invention as a piece of pseudo-imperialism.

I only wished to draw attention to that fact in the hope that your correspondent, and, perhaps, others, might place a more charitable interpretation on the Northern Prime Minister's message.

Harsh and uncharitable judgments of statements and actions are among the main causes of misunderstanding between North and South—and this applies equally to both North and South. Your correspondent's reference to intolerance, for instance, is a case in point.

How often is the North held up as "intolerant" by self-seeking politicians (and I do not include your correspondent) until a great many people in the South believe it! Yet, it is forgotten that of nearly 100,000 Roman Catholics and Nationalists in Belfast fully 90 per cent. obtain their livelihood, directly or indirectly, from Protestant and Unionist employers and firms. There is little indication of intolerance here; indeed, I wish the same spirit of "intolerance" were shown in the same degree by Roman Catholic employers in the North, and even in the South.

In conclusion I may say I never suggested that people in the six counties had a greater share in the making of New Zealand than the people of the rest of Ireland. On the contrary, I have always held that the people of Ireland, North and South, have done more, comparatively, to build up the Dominions (together with Scotsmen) than Englishmen, and I only regret that more Irishmen do not take a greater pride in the fact (as Scotsmen do), instead of wishing to get as far outside the Empire as they can.—Yours, etc.,

"NORTHERNER."

Belfast, April 2nd, 1940.

SUMMER-TIME IN BALLYPOREEN

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Mr. Leask makes the startling statement that the Irish countryman really likes old time and old liquor.

By this it would appear that the inhabitants of Ballyporeen, unlike most of their neighbours, dislike poteen and prefer old beer. The latter is a heavy liquor and regular consumers feel compelled to enjoy a long sleep. Indeed, most beer lovers are not noted for celerity. Now, John Bull is a beer lover. He is slow but sure, and he does not keep hens with spats, but John Bull encourages the growth of a well-spurred cock called Public Opinion. This keeps him awake.

Hens with spats are rare. No doubt they are useful, as they may lay eggs with zipp fasteners. Citizens of Ballyporeen have little time for eating eggs by old time.

Mr. Leask dwells much upon hens and ignores the rooster, as much as all Ballyporeen ignores Shakespeare because he wrote "The cock that is the trumpet to the morn."

Some years ago I visited Ballyporeen and saw a sundial, unnoticed by Mr. Leask. Upon this sundial I read the lines:—

"Impetuous I sprang from bed
Long before lunch was up,
That I might drain the dizzy dew
From day's first golden cup."

Yours, etc.,

OSCAR LOVE.

Blackrock, Co. Dublin, April 2nd, 1940.

"SUMMER-TIME"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Dr. Ronayne's letter in to-day's *Irish Times* is yet another example of how he falls short of attaining infallibility.

He jumped to the conclusion that I was of the same sex as himself and tries to war merry about my Spartan boyhood. I never had such a thing; I am the mother of five children, and I claim to know at least as much about the bringing up of children as Dr. Ronayne.—Yours, etc.,

M. B. FLEMING.

The Rectory, Timoleague, Co. Cork,
April 1, 1940.

"THEY WALK ALONE," AT THE GAIETY NEXT WEEK

For their first cross-Channel play this year the Gaiety have selected "They Walk Alone," by Max Catto, which was London's biggest success last autumn. It was originally produced at the famous "Q" Theatre, then transferred to the Shaftesbury, and after that to the Comedy, where it ran many months. Early booking is advisable, because with the fine cast of players featuring the run "They Walk Alone" should attract all Dublin playgoers during its week's run.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, April 3.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS DUCHTARACH.
(The Supreme Court.)

At 11 o'clock. For Hearing—In re W. Comp. Act, 1934, Abraham v. Ayrton Saunders and Co. (Dublin), Ltd., as hearing; in re W. Comp. Act, 1934, Jones v. Belton; in re W. Comp. Act, 1934, Ryan v. Walsh and others.

For Thursday, 4th April (subject to any case at hearing)—McDonnell v. the Minister for Education and another (part heard).

CLARATHOIR NA gCOIMHCHTHE CUIRTE.
(The Registrar of Wards of Court.)

Before the Registrar, at 11.30 o'clock. Ex Parte Applications—Walsh, a minor, E. W. MacNeice and Son; Finucane, minors, summons; Kennedy and McGonagle, Rivers, minors, re-entered summons, D. J. Reilly; Gleeson, minors, summons, J. J. Kennedy; statement of facts, J. J. McDonald and Co.; summons, T. W. Hardman and Sons.

Before Mr. Maghan, at 11 o'clock—Voch account, A. Carroll and Co.; vouch account, V. B. O'Toole; vouch account, N. J. O'N. Quirke; fix security, Malcomson and Law.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS.
(The High Court.)

In Court 1, at 11 o'clock. Case Stated—The Attorney-General complainant, James Crawford respondent.

In Court 6, at 11.30 o'clock. Action (at hearing)—M. J. Cummins, Ltd. (in voluntary liquidation) v. Bank of Ireland.

In Court 2. For Thursday, April 4th. Actions (to fix dates for hearing)—Bryan and others v. Irish Land Commission; Tinode Brick and Tile Co., Ltd., and another v. Slattery; Ellis v. Woods; Traynor v. Vance; Commissioners of Public Works v. Petersen and Albeck and others.

Summonses (to fix dates for hearing)—De Vere and S. L. Acts; Long and another v. Boland and others.

Action—Sandys and another v. O'Brien and others.

MAISTIR NA HARD-CHUIRTE.
(The Master of the High Court.)

At 11 o'clock—Motions of Course. Summonses—Donnellan v. Walsh; Royal Bank of Ireland v. Gill; Hill v. Pilkington; Dublin County Council v. L. O'Brien; same v. L. O'Brien; Munster and Leinster Bank v. Kelleher; Cahill v. Dunlop; Crowe, Ltd. v. Russell; Siev v. Dowling; Keenan v. Wallis; Shannon Crawford and Co. v. Nerstrom; Somers v. Good; Munster and Leinster Bank v. Harris.

Motions on Notice—Foster v. Fingall; Northern Bank v. McAuley; Blake v. Blake.

BANKRUPTCY.

At 12 o'clock—Gallagher, prove debts and vouch, Hayes and Son. Dixon, prove debts and vouch, C. Magwood, arrangement, ac. comp., Collins and Son.

OIFIG AN MHAISTIR-MHEASAIREACHTA.
(The Taxing Master's Office.)

Master O'Hanlon, at 11 o'clock—Aylmer's estate, W. Roche and Sons; Morrissey's Estate, J. Hodnett and Son; Byrne's estate, T. Gerrard and Co.; Codd's estate, M. J. O'Connor and Co.; Eschfort's estate, H. O'Donnell; O'Malley's estate, MacHale and Durcan; Barbour's estate, Bridge and Co.; Berry's estate W. J. Fegan and Co.; Veitch's estate, Falls and Hanna.

Master Kennedy, at 11 o'clock. Experte Taxations—Casey v. Kilkenny Co-operative Creamery Co., Fitzgerald and Kelly; Devin v. Kealy, A. N. Byrne; same v. same, T. Gerrard and Co.

OIFIG AN SCRIBEOIRA.
(The Examiners Office.)

Before Mr. Adderley (Room 104), at 11 o'clock—C. Kiely, decd., Paice v. Bealey; National Bank, Ltd., v. Curtis; same v. O'Brien Dame A. E. G. Esmonde, decd., Hickie v. Heffernan; Cos. Act and Irish Neonlight, Ltd., Dolan's Trusts, Dolan v. Dolan.

Before Mr. Greville (Room 103), at 11 o'clock—Rostonovsky v. Goldstein; National Bank, Ltd., v. M. J. Doyle; S. L. le B. Baggs, decd., Baggs v. Deane-Freeman; M. A. Byrne, decd., McLoughlin v. Byrne; J. M. Cullinane, decd., Magner v. Sullivan; E. S. Cecrd, decd., Cecrd v. Cecrd.

Before Mr. Murtagh (Room 108), at 11 o'clock—Bank of Ireland v. Graham; same v. Carten.

Before Mr. Scanlon (Room 106), at 11 o'clock—Cooper v. Wallis; L. J. J. Finegan, decd., O'Farrell v. Attorney-General; M. A. Finnegan, decd., Steen v. Attorney-General.

CHOIMISIUN TALMHAN NA h-EIREANN.
(Irish Land Commission.)

At Examiners' Chambers, at 90 Merrion Square.

Before Mr. Sullivan, at 11 o'clock—S. A. Armstrong, vouch. At 12 o'clock—Jordan's estate, settle schedule.

Before Mr. Grove White, at 3 o'clock—Henry Moore, vouch.

Before Mr. Spain, at 11 o'clock—M. McDermott, vouch.

At 80 Merrion Square.

Before Mr. O'Byrne, at 11 o'clock—Reps. Wm. Hanly, vouch.

Before Mr. Tyrrell, at 3 o'clock—Blackley and Wilson, discharge rulings and settle schedule.

Before Miss Phelan, at 11 o'clock—Robert Barry, discharge rulings. At 3 o'clock—Beckett and Froude.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS CHUARDA.
(Circuit Court of Justice.)

Before Judge Davitt, at the Law Courts, Chancery place, at 11 o'clock. Applications for Summary Judgment—Byrne and others v. Knowd; same v. McConnell; same v. Parnell; same v. Greene. Ejectments—Nicholson v. Wall; same v. Farrelly; Quigley v. Sutton; Cole v. O'Neill; Maguire v. Moran; Fay v. Sharkey.

Before Judge Davitt, at the Law Courts, Chancery place. For Thursday, 4th April, at 11 o'clock. Applications for Summary Judgment—Kelly v. Lucan Dairies, Ltd.; Gaskin v. Murray; Maher v. Holmes; Wolohan v. Briscoe. Workmen's Compensation Act, 1934—Cormac Young applct., Roche and McConnell respdts. Ejectments—O'Connor v. Buckley; McGovern v. Murray; Murray v. McGovern (Rent Act); Saunders v. Foley (Poor applct., Saunders respdt. (Rent Act); Doherty v. McConnell; Fegan v. Corr; same v. same.

AN CLARATHOIR CONTAE.
(The County Registrar.)

At 12.30 o'clock. Taxation of Costs—McGovern v. D.U.T. Co.; Brinsea Slate Quarries, Ltd., v. O'Donohue. Equity—Gallagher v. Gallagher and another.

CUIRT DUITHCHE NA CATHRACH.
(Metropolitan District Court.)

At Morgan place, before Mr. MacCarthy, at 10.30 o'clock—Defended civil processes adjourned from previous sessions; defended ejectment processes adjourned from previous sessions.

HOME INFLUENCE AND THE CHILD

SPECIAL SERVICE FOR PARENTS AND TEACHERS

The importance of the Christian example in the home as an influence on the life of the child was stressed by Canon Chamberlain, who preached last night in Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin, at a special Service for parents and teachers, held under the auspices of the Diocesan Council of the Mothers' Union.

Canon Chamberlain said that the key to the extraordinary expansion of the early Church was the simple fact that the Christians were such good Christians, intense in their convictions. Their faith, their hope, their charity, their courage and their joy deeply impressed those around them. Men were attracted by the truth, the goodness and the beauty of their simple, Christian lives, and were themselves led to the service of Christ.

What the Church was in the first century every Christian home ought to be in the twentieth—a power-centre for Christ. That was the aim of the Mothers' Union—that children, from the daily lives of their fathers and mothers, should see something of the truth, goodness and beauty of Christ, and be attracted and won to His service.

It was of the utmost importance to each child that the seeds of Christian knowledge, Christian character and Christian principles—the seeds of Christianity itself—should be sown in the home, for no religious instruction given in school, Sunday school or church, valuable as such instruction was, ever could take the place of the earliest home teaching and the earliest home example of the elements of Christian principle and Christian practice.

The collection was in aid of the Nursery Rescue Home.

PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN

The monthly meeting of the Executive Committee of the Dublin branch of the National Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children was held at 20 Molesworth street, Dublin, yesterday. Mrs. A. D. Stewart was in the chair. Also present were: Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. A. Mathews, Miss Eva Scallan, Miss Gyles, the Hon. Mrs. Claud Brabazon, Miss L. Johnston, Mrs. Healy, Miss Carton, Mrs. Hewat, Mrs. Musters, Miss Netterville, Miss Alcock, Miss de Selby, Mrs. Norman Jeffares, Mrs. J. Cunningham, Mrs. Conor Maguire (hon. treasurer), Mr. S. G. Hodson, Colonel the Hon. Claud Brabazon (hon. secretary) and Mr. George M. Burdett (organising secretary for Ireland).

The hon. secretary reported that during the month 45 cases, involving 127 children, had been dealt with.

Three cases of special interest were read out, two of them involving major wrongs to children. In one instance two children were certified as being in a state of starvation. They are now undergoing special treatment at St. Patrick's Infant Hospital, to which the Society is most grateful. The other case was that of a girl badly knocked about by persons unknown. Lack of evidence was a difficulty in taking measures for her future, yet the Society succeeded in arranging for her to be put in a place of safety and will continue to watch the interests of the child.

The Society would advocate the strengthening of the law to make parents clearly responsible for the protection of their children.

It was resolved that the hon. treasurer should write to all honorary collectors thanking them for their valuable services, especially as for reasons of economy the full subscription lists were not printed this year. Satisfactory arrangements, however, are being made to do so in future.

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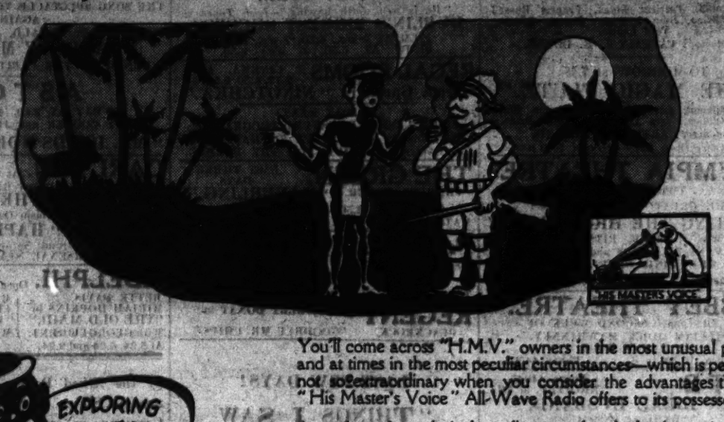

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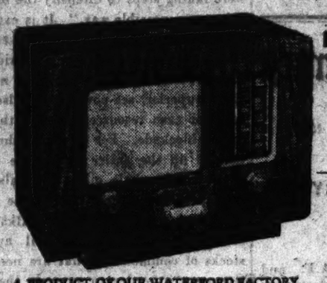

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5.30—An Ghluin Og a stiuru ar Micheal O Maolain (An Arsinn).
5.55—Irish Radio Orchestra (Conductor, Captain J. M. Doyle): Ov., The Bohemian Girl (Balfe); Scin., Tales of Hoffman (Offenbach); Three Dances from Tom Jones (German); Grasshoppers Dance (Buchland).
6.20—Maireach Sleibhe: Scoil Sinsirid dha Innsint ag Nioclas Tolbin.
6.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements.
6.45—To-day's News.
7.0—Radio Review. Presented by Tony Cahill, with Colin Sister, Maureen Heffernan, Ben Nagle, Bob Barry, Don O'Hare, Bill Clarke and the Two Friends in Harmony.
7.30—An Arm Chair and a Book: Seon O Faolain.
7.50—Michael Owens (Fiddle): Irish Dance Music.
8.0—Dublin Operatic Society's production of "Rigoletto" (Verdi), relayed from the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin. Principals: Elena Danieli, Francis Russell, John Lynskey, Patricia Black, Vere Lautin, Murray Davies, T. P. O'Brien. Conductor: Captain J. M. Doyle. Leader of Orchestra: Terry O'Connor. During Interval: Nunchi an Lae.
10.0—To-night's News.
10.20—Dorns and Casey's Debut.
10.30—Irish Music and Song of the 18th Century, presented by Cormac MacFhionnlaoich, with illustrations by Cormac MacFhionnlaoich (Violin), Julia Gray (Piano) Una Lord (Cello), and Maeve McGinley (Singer). Arrangements by Julia Gray.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

WAVELENGTHS—391 Metres (Scottish) and and 449 Metres (Northern).

News at 7 a.m., 8 a.m., 1 p.m., 6 p.m., 9 p.m., and midnight.

7.0—Time and News. 7.15—Garland Wilson on some favourite records. 7.30—"Lift Up Your Hearts!" A thought for to-day. 7.35—Morning physical exercises for men. 7.45—Three Pictures for Piano. 8.0—Time and News. 8.15—The Tudor Series. 8.45—The B.B.C. Northern Orchestra. 9.30—"Plimsole." Popular tunes from the musical screen. 9.55—"At Home To-day." 10.15—Time and the Daily Service. 10.30—Rhythm on Reeds. 11.0—Music, Mirth and Melody. 11.30—Jack Payne with his Band. 12.0—Reginald New at the B.B.C. Theatre Organ. 12.30—The B.B.C. Scottish Orchestra. 1.0—Time and News. 1.15—Adrien Audain (Songs at the Piano). 2.0—The Harp Quintet. 2.0—The Band of H.M. Royal Artillery (Portsmouth). 2.40—A Commentary on the Lincolnshire Handicap. 2.50—Nelson Elms at the Organ of the Granada, Welling, Kent. 3.15—Songs of Spring, sung by Gladys Palmer (contralto). 3.35—Romantic Rhythmists.

4.0—Anglo-French Collaboration in Schools: M. Saurat in English and Mlle. de la Warre in French. 4.15—"Art thou not Romeo?" A green-room comedy for radio by P. H. Burton. 4.45—Gramophone Records. 5.0—News in Welsh. 5.5—A Studio Service in Welsh. 5.20—Children's Hour. 6.20—Time and News. 6.15—"Melody and Rhythm," with Dorothy Paul and Donald Edge. 6.30—"The World Goes By." 7.0—National and Regional Announcements, followed at not earlier than 7.10 by Scottish and Northern Ireland Announcements. 7.20—"Composer Cavalcade." Famous Song-writers on Parade: No. 3—Irving Berlin. 8.0—The latest Garbo picture, "Ninotchka." 9.0—Time and News.

9.20—"India and the War": Marquess of Reading. 9.35—"Car-tunes." Fifteen musical minutes of melodies. 9.50—Delius music (records). 10.30—"Lub Dheas is Lub Chlith" (a Gaelic play). 11.0—Jack Payne with his Band. 11.45—"Lancelot," a short story of a dog. 12.0—Time and News. 12.15—Close down.

B.E.F. PROGRAMME

11.0 a.m. to 6.0 p.m. (G.M.T.)—805 Kc. (372.1 Metres). 6.0 p.m. to 11.0 p.m. (G.M.T.)—804 Kc. (373.1 Metres) and 877 Kc. (342.1 Metres).

11.0—Time, followed by Fredric Bayco at the Organ of the Dominion Cinema. 11.30—Jack Payne with his Band. 12.0—Reginald New at the B.B.C. Theatre Organ. 12.30—"Day After Day." A one-woman revue, starring Frances Day. 1.0—Time and News. 1.15—Adrien Audain (Songs at the Piano). 1.30—An Army Bee: A general knowledge and spelling competition. 2.0—Royal Artillery Band. 2.40—Lincolnshire Handicap. 2.50—Nelson Elms at the Organ. 3.15—Rah the Rhymer. 3.35—Romantic Rhythmists. 4.0—Tunes of the Day. 4.50—B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra. 5.0—Fred Hartley and his Sextet. 5.30—"Entente Cordiale." An international exchange of music and songs. 6.0—Foreign Languages Bulletin. 6.30—"The Word Goes By." 7.0—Felton Rapley at the B.B.C. Theatre Organ. 7.20—"Composer Cavalcade." Famous Song-writers on Parade: No. 3—Irving Berlin. 8.0—"When You and I were Dancing." 8.30—"Record Time." 9.0—Foreign Languages Bulletin. 9.15—"What's on To-morrow?" 9.30—Variety from the Hippodrome, Bristol. 10.0—"Vocal Derangements" on gramophone records. 10.20—Van Straten and his Music.

ON THE CONTINENT

BRUSSELS 1 (483.9 m.)—6.0-8.30 p.m.—Quartet (Delcroix).
BUCHAREST (364.4 m.)—10.0-10.45 p.m.—Bach Concert.
BUDAPEST (549.5 m.)—5.0-5.20 p.m.—Franz Liszt Society's Concert, relayed from Sopron.
MILAN (262.7 m.)—8.0 p.m.—"Dumia," three-act Opera (Gaspare Scuderi), from La Scala, Milan.
NAPLES (322.2 m.)—8.30 p.m.—An Operetta. Conductor, Petralia.
RADIO-PARIS (1,648 m.)—9.45-10.30 p.m.—National Orchestra. Conductor, Wolff.

COTTAGE HOME SPRING SALE

The spring sale in aid of the Cottage Home for Little Children, Tivoli road, Dun Laoghaire, will be held to-day in the Knox Memorial Hall, Monkstown. Dr. T. O. Graham, F.R.C.S.I., will perform the opening ceremony, and there will be dancing by the children during the afternoon.

GATE THEATRE

"AN IDEAL HUSBAND"

"An Ideal Husband," Oscar Wilde's play, continues its successful run at the Gate Theatre this week, and those who have not done so, will have an opportunity of seeing another satisfactory production at the hands of Mr. Gerald Pringle.

John Izon, in the rôle of Sir Robert Chiltern, is most convincing, and Blake Gifford as Viscount Goring, makes the most of his brilliant lines.

In a sympathetic part, Vivienne Dillon acts well, and Hamlyn Benson, as the Earl of Caversham, is a good contrast to Viscount Goring.

The production, which ranks high in the season's successes, is greatly helped by the settings and dresses, designed by Carl Bonn, and other players who contributed to the excellence of the presentation are Noel Delany, Jean Anderson, Nora O'Mahony, Michael Ripper and Cecil Brock.

STAMPS OF THE WEEK

The Mint Stamp Company, 74 Grafton street, Dublin, have sent us the following interesting new stamps for illustration:—

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BALLROOM DANCING CHAMPIONSHIPS

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CALLS TO THE INNER BAR

Mr. Oliver Moriarty, Mr. Kevin Dixon, and Barra O Briain were called to the Inner Bar by the Chief Justice in the Supreme Court, Dublin, yesterday.

Mr. Oliver Moriarty is a son of the late Mr. David Moriarty, solicitor, Killarney, who was for many years a Commissioner of National Education, and was one of the solicitors for Charles Stewart Parnell during *The Times* Commission. Mr. Moriarty was called to the Bar in June, 1914. In 1919 he was appointed judge of a court of first instance in the Native Tribunal in Egypt. He returned to Ireland in 1928 and has since practised in Dublin.

Mr. Kevin Dixon, who is a son of Mr. Martin Dixon, quantity surveyor, Dublin, is an Honours graduate in science of the National University, and was called to the Bar in November, 1926. He has appeared for the State in many important cases. He is joint author, with Mr. Hector Hughes, K.C., of a work on the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1931.

Barra O Briain is son of the late Dr. C. M. O'Brien, Merrion square, Dublin. He is an M.A. and LL.B., National University, and holds the *Diplomé d'Studes Superieures* of the Law Faculty, University of Paris. He was a pre-truce volunteer, and subsequently served in the National Army, being a member of the Irish Military Mission which went to Paris in 1924. He was later Military Secretary to the then Chief of Staff, General Peadar MacMahon. He came to the Bar in 1927, and has practised on the Connacht Circuit. He has appeared for the Attorney-General in many cases in Dublin and in Midland and Western counties.

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ANNUAL MEETING,
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FRIDAY NEXT, APRIL 5th, 1940,
IN DAWSON HALL, DAWSON STREET,
At 4 p.m.
Speaker: Rev. Canon J. TURNER, the Arctic.

THE MISSION TO LEPERS.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
EDWARD BASIL PEYTON, Master of the Bray Harriers Hunt, late of Beechwood, Delgany, Deceased.
All persons having claims against the Estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on 26th March, 1940 are requested to furnish particulars (in writing) immediately to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor.
Dated 1st April, 1940.
A. O'HAGAN & SON, Solicitors, 9 Harcourt street, Dublin.

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REVEREND JOSEPH SINCLAIR CAROLIN, late of Springfield, 1 Rowan Park avenue, Blackrock, Co Dublin, Clerk in Holy Orders, Deceased.
Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, all persons claiming to be creditors or otherwise to have any claims against the assets of the above Deceased, who died on the 14th day of December, 1939, are hereby required to furnish particulars (in writing) of such claims to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executors on or before the 15th day of May, 1940, next, after which date the estate will be distributed, having regard only to claims then received.
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Morning	9.31	10.20
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	Morning.	Evening.
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Belfast	9.10	9.50
Cork	3.38	4. 1
Cobh	3.25	3.58
Drogheda	9.19	9.40
Dundalk	9.16	9.45
Galway	3.17	3.52
Kinsale	3.24	3.47
Limerick	4.47	5.23
Sligo	4. 6	4.32
Waterford	4.26	4.46
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The Irish Times

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 1940.

NEWS SUMMARY

GREAT BRITAIN

Air fights between the R.A.F. and German machines which attacked convoys in the North Sea are described in official statements which were issued in London last night.—(Page 5.)

Speaking on the war in the House of Commons last night, Mr. Chamberlain said that the Allies were determined to prosecute the economic war to the utmost of their power.—(Page 5.)

Three men were killed and five were injured by an explosion at a Scottish munitions works.—(Page 5.)

ABROAD

The *New York Daily News* alleges forgery in regard to the Nazi "White Paper" documents.—(Page 5.)

SPORTING

At Lincoln yesterday, Lionetta won the Brocklesby Stakes.—(Page 8.)

FINANCIAL

Some good features made their appearance in the London Stock markets yesterday, and the general tone continued cheerful. British Funds and Rails made fresh headway.—(Page 9.)

A brighter tone was in evidence in the Dublin Stock markets yesterday. Good gains were scored by 4 per cent. Exchequer Bonds, Guinness Ord. and Solus "A" Ord. shares.—(Page 9.)

The Economic War

Those who may have been expecting exciting revelations from the British Prime Minister yesterday regarding the imminence of a spring offensive were disappointed. Mr. Neville Chamberlain made his promised statement in the House of Commons; but he confined his remarks almost entirely to the economic aspect of the war, and it seems to be fairly clear that it is on this aspect of the struggle that Great Britain's efforts will be concentrated in the immediate future. The British started to fight the present war with a definite objective—namely, to use their sea-power to the utmost advantage. They discovered during the last war that their naval blockade did far more harm to Germany than any defeats in the field, and also that it was a weapon that could be used with the greatest economy of human life. From the very day on which the war broke out the British Navy has been exercising a stranglehold on Germany's sea-borne supplies. For all practical purposes the German mercantile fleet has ceased to exist. All the main lines of direct communication between the Reich and the overseas world have been cut by the British; and the Germans have been forced to depend for their imports firstly on Russia, and on the neutral States by which their country is surrounded. Holland and Belgium always have done a big *entrepôt* trade with Germany. She gets a substantial quantity of wheat and other important foodstuffs from the Balkans; while the Danube is free of ice she can import oil from Rumania at fairly reasonable rates; and she obtains most of her iron ore from Sweden either through the Swedish port of Lulea or the Norwegian port of Narvik. To a certain extent, therefore, the British blockade is ineffective. So long as the British Navy respects the three-mile territorial limit even German ships can ply between Narvik and their home ports. So far the river traffic along the Danube has not been interrupted; and there is a constant flow of essential goods across the Brenner Pass from Italy to the Reich. Somebody has said that time is a neutral in the present war. There is a general belief in the Allied countries that it is on the side of France and Great Britain, and that, if they maintain their blockade for a sufficient length of time Germany eventually must collapse. On the other hand, experts in the United States and elsewhere take the view that so long as the Germans can continue to import a certain amount of oil, they can hold out almost indefinitely. They have accumulated huge stocks of essential materials during the last six or seven years. They have reduced to an almost exact science the art of doing without what may seem to other peoples to be necessaries of life. Undoubtedly, they cannot but suffer severely as a result of the Allied blockade; but it is not at all certain that they can be either starved into submission or forced to yield as a result of a shortage of essential raw materials.

In his House of Commons speech yesterday, Mr. Neville Chamberlain made it quite clear that these facts are appreciated by the Allied Powers. So long as the neutral States that have frontiers with Germany, or can send their products to the Reich by sea without interference by the British Fleet, remain neutral, and so long as their neutral rights continue to be observed by the Allies, the blockade of Germany cannot be complete. Mr. Chamberlain told the House of Commons that the British and French Governments were taking steps to intensify the blockade "in every possible way." It is extremely difficult to prevent supplies from reaching Germany through neutral countries; but it seems that the Allies are using not only their superior sea-power, but also their superior cash resources, to stop the leaks in the blockade. For example, they have bought up the entire exportable surplus of Norway's whale oil. They also have purchased the greater part of the world's supply of wool, and in the Balkans and elsewhere are buying up all available stocks of commodities that are needed by Germany in order to prevent their sale and export to the Reich. In most cases the Allies are able to pay cash for their purchases, whereas the Germans are very short of foreign exchange and do most of their external trade on a barter basis. *Ceteris paribus*, therefore, the Allies have a marked advantage over their adversaries in neutral markets, and the British, especially, are spending enormous sums of money in pursuit of their economic aims. Very naturally, certain neutral Powers are becoming more and more anxious regarding the future. Take the case of Norway. Hitherto the traffic between the port of Narvik and Germany has been fairly brisk, but there seems to be little doubt that the British Government is contemplating measures which will interfere seriously with this trade. Mr. Chamberlain declared yesterday that "Germany must be deprived of materials most essential for the prosecution of her aggressive policy." He also said that "our respect for neutral rights must not blind us to the fact that any aid they (the neutrals) may give to Germany might, if carried far enough, render them liable to the hideous fate that has overtaken the previous victims of German policy." What do these words portend? Manifestly, the British Navy cannot stop the export of iron ore from Sweden and Norway unless it is prepared to infringe neutral rights—at least, technically. To what, if any, extent some such steps will be taken remains to be seen. American opinion is a vitally important factor in the present war. It is quite certain that any serious interference with neutral rights in Scandinavia or the Balkans would create a very bad impression in the United States, and the moral loss to the Allies might be greater than the material gain. The neutral States are in an exceedingly difficult position. Finding themselves between the upper and the nether mill-stones, they are powerless to help themselves. They are at the mercy of the belligerents, whose interest in their international rights is wholly selfish.

Egypt's Outlook

The Wafd, or Egyptian Nationalist Party, has been considering its attitude towards the European war, and has decided with a whole heart in favour of Great Britain and France. In a sense, it hardly could have been otherwise, since it was the Wafdist Party which concluded the Anglo-Egyptian Treaty of five years ago, and this treaty virtually amounts to an alliance. Nevertheless, the party never had made any secret of its anti-British views. Earlier negotiations for a treaty had collapsed because Great Britain's demands could not be reconciled, according to the Wafdists, with Egypt's national aspirations, and it was only as a result of slow compromise that the agreement was signed at all. Not long after its conclusion the Wafdist Party went into the wilderness; it obtained only 12 seats out of 263 at the general election of 1938, and the latent hostility to Great Britain flared into life again. The new Government became an "instrument of British imperialism"; its members became "reactionaries"; in fact, the position was almost as if the Cumann na nGaedheal Party, after the election of 1932, had swung further "leftwards" than Fianna Fail. For the past two years the Wafdists have been preaching violently against any association between Egypt and Great Britain—even though that association, as it is to-day, is sanctioned by an instrument of their own devising. Their *volte face*, therefore, is somewhat surprising. They have expressed their "eagerness to offer all possible help (to Great Britain), in order to avoid any possibility of Egypt being stabbed in the back." The fact that their concern is for Egypt, rather than for Britain, does them no discredit. Egypt is, from the strategic point of view, one of the most desirable places on earth. She has been so for centuries almost beyond number, inasmuch as she forms the junction between three continents, and she has become particularly valuable during the past fifty years, since the occupant of Egypt is controller of the Suez Canal. The Wafdists are as fully conscious as any other Egyptian party that, if the war extends, their country inevitably must become a battlefield. When Britain and Italy were at loggerheads three years ago, the Wafdists, for all their revolutionary ardour, were careful not to embarrass Britain: it was better, in their opinion, to endure her "oppressive" friendship than to become an Italian colony. Their attitude towards the European war is based on similar reasoning. They argue that, if Germany wins, Egypt's hope of independence is very small; either she will become part of the Third Reich, or the King of Italy will add her as another jewel to his crown. To all intents and purposes, Egypt already is a belligerent, since, by virtue of the treaty, she has allowed free passage to British troops through her territory, while the Canal Zone and other points are garrisoned by British units. She scarcely could expect, in these circumstances, to find pardon if Great Britain should be defeated, and it is not surprising that even the Wafdists see their best chance of safety in close co-operation with the British and French. They have asked, in return for their declaration of amity, that Great Britain shall give tangible proof of her willingness to respect Egypt's interests at the end of the war. The request hardly will be denied.

Pomp and Circumstance

Ireland has become a very drab country in recent years. A people that loves the pride, the pomp and circumstance of a pageant as much as any in the world, has become to-day, through some misguided sense of fitness, the most colourless nation in Europe. There was a time, of course, when the Court of Dublin was brilliant in a brilliant age; when every ceremonial occasion was clothed, if not in cloth of gold, at least with some respectable drapings in keeping with its importance. With the departure of that Court of Dublin, however, a disapproving frown has been turned on every symbol by which it might be remembered, until to-day even the silk hat is regarded with a certain amount of distrust. The representatives of foreign Powers, when they appear in full regalia, are the last link that we have with the old and customary splendour of the State occasion. We regret that this country has so little interest in a matter which is not without real, as well as "psychological," importance. The man in rags, even though his qualities are princely, attracts but small respect; and the same argument applies with the same truth to States. We have not the slightest doubt that if leaders of this country, when they were setting up their new *régime* of government, had remembered that the clothes and emblems of sovereignty—except in a nation that is composed entirely of philosophers—matter almost as much as sovereignty itself, they would have kindled a greater respect among the great mass of the people for government and the new State which they had raised. The Irish, like the French, are a nation of individuals; but while the French have been able to raise *La France* itself to a position in their minds and hearts that is more exalted than any king ever could hold, the Irish, without a leader and a symbol, are lost. Our people will harp for ever, apparently, about this vague thing called "freedom"—people are still harping, at any rate, twenty years after it has come; but that real sense of sovereign freedom will continue to be a fleeting thing, will not take root in the average mind while the parliament—to mention but one constitution—gains no more respect from them than they give to the local County Council. Mr. de Valera seems to have had such ideas in his head when he set up the office of President, but, with the utmost respect, does this new President mean anything more to the people than that the office costs £15,000 a year? Yet if he should appear from time to time, not in his very ordinary and everyday motor car, like any fairly prosperous business man, but, say, in the traditional carriage and procession that are expected anywhere else, at any rate, in this continent, to go with such high office, would they continue to regard him with that same rather cynical disinterest? Might they not in time come to think of him more as their President and less as just a man with a "good job"? These same remarks apply equally not only to the President but to every department of the State. The time, of course, is not ripe for what undoubtedly would be regarded as senseless extravagance; but, some day, if this country ever is to feel any of that consciousness and pride in itself which animate the people of other nations, the high officers and personages of the State must be raised above the drabness of the man in the street, and made to give some of the colour as well as the dignity that normally elsewhere is associated with their positions.

Under a Bushel

Now that the 111th annual exhibition of the Royal Hibernian Academy of Arts has been opened with the customary *éclat*, the artists can sit back and take stock of their blessings. Thanks to our neutrality, with other reasons, they have been spared the necessity of hunting in junk shops for frames in which to enclose their paintings, with the result that the frames in our exhibition this year are much superior to the general run of frames at Burlington House. We are sure that many of our exhibits, too, are better than most of the English exhibits, despite the "art criticism" which raged in the National College of Art during the formal reception on Monday. It is a curious fact that the general public essays criticism of art with an airy assurance that it would not dream of displaying on any other matter, and the most dogmatic verdicts frequently are uttered by persons who could not tell a pastel from a print, even though they may realise that still life has nothing to do with poteen. Apart from those privileged to attend the opening ceremony, however, the general public is not encouraged to visit this annual exhibition, which represents some of the best of Irish contemporary art. It may be the duty of all who profess an interest in native culture to avail themselves of the opportunity now provided by the R.H.A. exhibition, but they cannot be blamed if they stay away, since the exact location of the display, the hours of admission, and all other necessary details are hidden from them. Publicity may be alien to the artistic temperament—though a good many artists have done well out of it—but if the shekels are to roll in to the R.H.A. Council as rapidly as all of us would like to see them rolling, we shall have to be favoured with a good deal more advertisement in connection with the annual exhibition. We will venture to say that very few Dubliners—including the omniscient taxi-drivers—could run to earth this exhibition without difficulty. Even if they discovered, despite the artistic absence of advertisement, that it is somewhere in the vicinity of Kildare street, and eventually pulled up at the notice board outside the National Library gate, they could do with a guide to pilot them to the modest building squeezed in between and completely overshadowed by the Library and the National Gallery. If the native encounters so much difficulty, the plight of the visitor from a distance is bound to be much worse. The R.H.A. Exhibition should be advertised freely, like every other exhibition of paintings, and every possible effort made to induce the public to pay it a visit. If it is pointed out that neither the National Gallery nor the Metropolitan Gallery is at all well patronised, we would reply that an exhibition of the works of living artists has a much greater appeal for the ordinary man and his wife. In view of the national importance of the R.H.A. display, it should be made easy of access to everybody.

FROM "THE TIMES"

(*BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.*)

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S SPEECH

The Times remarks editorially to-day: There was no startling news in Mr. Chamberlain's opening speech to the House of Commons on its reassembly yesterday, but it had the businesslike character which has come to be associated with his periodical statements on the progress of the war. The particular and valuable service which they always render the country is to place in its proper perspective the topic or aspect of the war which is attracting the greatest amount of public attention at the moment, and yesterday the Prime Minister devoted most of his remarks to the question of the blockade in its relation to the neutral countries, who must unavoidably suffer under it. The problem is made more difficult than it should ever have become by the conduct of Germany, which, in sea warfare as in diplomacy, keeps no rules and respects no rights. Great Britain and France attempt to do both, and so a double standard of neutrality is set up. The policy of one side, as Mr. Chamberlain said, has been to destroy neutral property and murder the nationals of neutral States, while the policy of the other has been to respect neutral rights. This regard for the decencies of international conduct cannot, however, deter the Allies from prosecuting the economic war to the very utmost of their power, and taking every possible measure to counteract the illegal practices of the other side. The opinion is on record in Oppenheim's classic on international law that if neutrals acquiesce in the violation of rules by one belligerent to the vital disadvantage of the other, the latter cannot be expected to suffer this without redress. There is a growing volume of opinion in this country and in France that the views expressed by Oppenheim is good sense as well as good law. After all, we are dealing with a criminal nation which has committed international burglary in Czecho-Slovakia, and is trying to commit international murder in Poland, and if in the struggle to reduce him to impotence a few of the blows hurt some of the onlookers, they must bear their injuries as patiently as they can, and remember that the best service we can render them all is to bring the struggle to an end in the shortest possible time.

25 YEARS AGO

From the *Irish Times*, 3rd April, 1915.

Points of View.

The Military Correspondent of the German newspaper, *Pester Lloyd*, writes: The attacks on the Dardanelles have been repulsed with heavy losses to the English and French fleets. The strike movement in England threatens the production of war material; the German submarine war has paralysed British world commerce and increased the cost of food in the island 100 per cent.; the finances of France are exhausted, and Russia has long been bankrupt. The future of the Allies is in dismal chaos.

The *Daily Telegraph* correspondent in Copenhagen telegraphs: I learn on the highest authority that as soon as the Dardanelles are taken there will be a question of peace overtures from the German-Austrian and Turkish side. The wounded and the troops returning to Germany—especially the troops returning from the trenches—are feeling very tired of the war, and are deeply depressed at not obtaining a speedy victory. In German provincial towns, especially in the South, everything is completely disorganised, and the civil population throughout Germany believe that the war will be ended in June.

General Joffre at Brussels: It will not be long before the war will end in our favour.

Trenches of Steel.

A special correspondent telegraphing from the Belgian frontier says that German infantry there has been greatly reinforced within the last week. Trenches of great strength, protected by cement and steel plates, and resembling permanent fortifications, extend along the enemy's entire front, nearly to the sea. The Staff has just finished an exhaustive inspection of these defences.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS

Dublin Board of Assistance—10.30 a.m.
Dublin District Court—10.30 a.m.
High and Circuit Courts—11 a.m.
Court of Inquiry into Soldiers' and Sailors' Trust—11 a.m.
Housing Arbitration—City Hall, 11.15 a.m.
Bank of Ireland—Election of Directors, 11 to 1 p.m.
C.M.S. Egg Market—35 Molesworth street, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Alex Thom and Co., Ltd., Meeting—3 p.m.
Spring Sale—Knox Memorial Hall, Monkstown, Monkstown, 3 p.m.
Dublin Fishery Conservators—3.30 p.m.
Dublin Gramophone Society—Central Hotel, 8 p.m.
N.A.I.D.A. Lecture at 3 St. Stephen's Green—8 p.m.
Irish Labour Party Lecture by Mr. G. N. Tweedy—20 Eden quay, 8.15 p.m.
Royal Hibernian Academy of Arts Exhibition—National College of Art, Kildare street.

SPORT.

Racing—Downpatrick, 2.30.

AMUSEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"Rigoletto."
Olympia Theatre—"Hitting the High Spots."
Abbey Theatre—"William John Mawhinney."
Gate Theatre—"An Ideal Husband."
Peacock Theatre—Plays in Irish.
Metropole Cinema—"Day-Time Wife" and "Too Busy to Work."
Grafton Cinema—"I Killed the Count."
Theatre De Luxe—"The Rains Came."
Corinthian Cinema—"The Witness Vanishes" and "The Legion of Lost Flyers."
Queen's Theatre—"Easter Eggs."
Theatre Royal—Variety and "Geronimo."
The Green Cinema—"Mayerling."
Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"Fifth Avenue Girl" and "Conspiracy."
Regent Cinema, Blackrock—"Good-Bye, Mr. Chips."
Savoy Cinema—"First Love."
Regal Rooms Cinema—"Ninotchka."
Capitol Cinema—"Naughty Marietta."
Astor Cinema—"Mr. Deeds Goes To Town."
Carlton Cinema—"Mutiny in the Big House."
Adelphi Cinema—"The Old Maid" and "Coast Guard."
Grand Central Cinema—"Nation Aflame."

COURT AND PERSONAL

FROM THE *COURT CIRCULAR.*
BUCKINGHAM PALACE, Tuesday.

The Right Hon. Neville Chamberlain, M.P., Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury, had an audience of the King this evening.

The Marchioness of Willingdon has consented to be Vice-chairman of the Red Cross Sale, which will be held at Christie's in June.

The Earl and Countess of Harrowby have left London for Hove.

Viscount and Viscountess Esher will remain in their residence in London during the month of April.

Viscount Dunwich was thirty-seven years of age on Monday last.

The Bishop of Portsmouth, who underwent a serious operation recently, is fully recovered and has returned to his residence, Bishopswood, Fareham.

The Hon. Mrs. Guy Russell has given birth to a son in London.

The Rev. and Mrs. Letmon have returned to The Island, Headford, Galway, from Oughterard.

Lady Nelson and her mother, Mrs. Loftus Bryan, have arrived in Dublin from Lough Bawn.

Prince Charles d'Arenberg is staying in London.

The Hon. Gerald and Mrs. Wellesley will attend the Grand National Meeting at Aintree on Friday.

Lady Maureen Stanley and Miss Catherine Stanley will stay at Knowsley for the Aintree Meeting.

The marriage arranged between Joseph, younger son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Delahunt, "Seafield," Brittas, Wicklow, and Pauline, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip McAuley, 34 Longford terrace, Monkstown, will take place quietly on Wednesday, 17th April, 1940.

A marriage has been arranged, and will take place at Kericho, Kenya Colony, on April 12th, between James Coates, eldest son of Mr. J. and the late Mrs. Kean, of Melbourne, Australia, and Hilda Patricia (Pat), daughter of the late Mr. James and Mrs. Temple, of Carnaween House, Donegal.

Dr. Robert Davitt has returned to 47 Fitzwilliam square.

Dr. Edward L. Murphy has taken up residence at 41 Fitzwilliam place.

Mr. P. J. Smyth has returned to 31 Fitzwilliam square.

Switzers have just received a delivery of smart Thread Jumpers, with long and short sleeves, in a variety of lovely pastel colours. They are priced from 23s. 6d. to 29s. 6d.

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DUBLIN-LIVERPOOL AIR SERVICE.
Among the arrivals were:—Mrs. Rosa Daniell Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Woolfson, Mr. McCormick, Mrs. M. Flood, Mr. G. McDougall, Mr. C. Aarus, the Rev. T. Breen, the Rev. D. Breen, Mr. Skea.
Among the departures were:—Miss Healy, Mr. Palmer, Mr. Mendell, Miss Kitty Delaney, Miss Mary O'Gorman, Dr. Murphy, the Bishop of Bath and Wells, Dr. and Mrs. Finnegan, Mr. Lynch.

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"L'ELISIR d'AMORE"

SPLENDID PERFORMANCE AT GAIETY THEATRE

Donizetti's opera buffa, "L'Elisir d'Amore," was presented with splendid distinction by the Dublin Operatic Society to a highly appreciative audience at the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin, last night.

The opera, though in many respects dated and emanating from a period when vocal virtuosity was at its zenith, still holds great attraction for opera-lovers, by reason of its graceful melodies and its light-hearted story. Its tale of the manner in which the quack doctor, Dulcamara, deluded simple village folk into believing in the power of his bottled "love philtre" is naively amusing, and requires calculated handling to save it from falling into broad farce. The producer, Mr. Sydney Russell, saw that the comedy, while adequate, never exceeded proper bounds, and he was lucky in having a most capable team of principals.

The chief burden of the piece falls to the lot of Nemorino, the peasant lover, and this part was capitally sung and acted by Francis Russell. Such arias as "Una furtiva lagrima" gave him opportunity to show what splendid vocal technique he possesses. It was a beautiful piece of work. Right through the opera he impressed greatly by the wholehearted manner in which he read the part.

Murray Davies, a newcomer to Dublin, played the part of the quack doctor, Dulcamara, with fine appreciation. His make-up was capital, and his acting had a neat touch of humour, while he sang the difficult patter songs with ready tongue.

Roderick Jones was in excellent singing voice as the Sergeant Belcore, but he was inclined to be a little too unbending in his action.

Another newcomer to this stage was Cecile Lanyon in the part of Adina, the wayward lover of Memorino. She has rather a pleasing stage presence, and sings with delicate charm. The voice at the moment is rather on the light side, but it is exquisitely controlled, and came through delightfully in the tring coloratura work. She is very young, with a good sense of the stage, and should do well in the future. With her as second soprano there appeared Rita Lynch, the young soprano from Mallow, Co. Cork, who has been heard at the Feis Ceoil here with success over the last couple of years. She was making her first appearance also with the Dublin Operatic Society, and, though the part of Gianetta did not afford much scope, she pleased everyone with her singing and her sense of the stage.

A special word of congratulation to the chorus, who got through their work admirably, the ladies especially made great play in those delightful choruses at the beginning of the last scene.

Altogether it was a very satisfying performance, well up to the society's high standard.

To-night—"Rigoletto," with Elena Danieli, Francis Russell, John Lynskey and Patricia Black.

Mr. Montague Norman was re-elected Governor of the Bank of England for the ensuing year at the first of the annual Courts, held yesterday. Mr. Basil Catterns was re-elected Deputy-Governor. They were the only nominees for these positions. Mr. Norman was first elected Governor in 1920, so that he now begins his twenty-first year of office. The election of directors will take place at another Court, to be held to-day.

Miss Gwendolen Watkins, M.A., daughter of Mr. M. J. Watkins, general manager and secretary of the Belfast Harbour Trust, has been appointed head mistress of Erdington Grammar School, under the Birmingham Higher Education Committee.

LONDON LETTER

MR. CHAMBERLAIN WARNS NEUTRALS

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
TUESDAY NIGHT.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN to-day paid handsome tributes to the late Sir John Gilmour (Minister of Shipping) and the late Mr. Savage (the Premier of New Zealand) before he gave his review of the war position in the House of Commons. He then dealt with the meeting of the Supreme War Council, and welcomed the visit of M. Reynaud. Warm cheers greeted his statement that neutrals must realise that Britain could not agree to make available to them products from

ALLIES' BLOCKADE TO BE INTENSIFIED

Premier's Announcement in House of Commons

GERMANY'S NEIGHBOURS WARNED

Limit of Action in North Sea Not Reached

SPEAKING in the House of Commons last night, Mr. Chamberlain told Germany's neutral neighbours that they could not expect products from Empire sources unless they were prepared to give guarantees to limit their future trade with Germany.

The Allies, he said, were determined to prosecute the economic war to the utmost of their power, and he revealed that a ring of war trade agreements, each stipulating a strict limitation of exports to Germany, was being built up around Germany.

"Our respect for neutral rights," he added, "must not blind us to the fact that any aid they may give to Germany might, if carried far enough, render them in the end liable to the hideous fate that has overtaken the previous victims of German policy."

Germany, said the Premier, must be deprived of materials most essential for the prosecution of her aggressive policy. The Allies were, therefore, determined to continue and intensify the blockade in every possible way.

He denied that it was the aim of Britain to disturb the peace of the Balkans.

It was generally expected in France that M. Reynaud, the French Prime Minister, would make a statement on the Supreme War Council's decisions yesterday, but he only paid a brief visit to the Chamber before it adjourned until to-morrow week.

WAR COUNCIL'S DECISIONS

Stating the Allies' intention to intensify the blockade in every possible way, Mr. Chamberlain said, in allusion to the interference with the passage of German cargo ships from Scandinavia, that Britain had not yet reached the limit of her effective operations in this region.

Dealing with the meeting of the Supreme War Council in London last week, he said that they took various important decisions regarding the future line of action of the Allies

"I daresay," he added, "the House will have no great difficulty in guessing at the general nature and tenour of the discussions, which were so harmoniously conducted."

THE ALLIES

What emerged to the public eye was the solemn declaration to which the two Governments set their hands. In recent months the collaboration and unity of purpose between this country and France had been growing ever closer. They had expanded their arrangements to cover commercial questions and supply of munitions, and there was agreement on plans for closest co-operation in the colonial sphere.

"By the solemn declaration, our two Governments have now extended the scope of these arrangements to all spheres affecting the interests and security of the two nations."

THE DECLARATION

Mr. Chamberlain read the declaration to the accompaniment of ringing cheers.

The declaration, he said, went far beyond the expression of British and French determination to fight together to a common victory, and provided for continuous Anglo-French co-operation in the establishment of peace and in the reconstruction of an international order designed to ensure the liberty of peoples, respect for law, and the maintenance of peace in Europe.

Mr. Chamberlain emphasised that under the declaration any proposals for peace, whatever their source, would not even be discussed before Britain and France had reached full agrement on the requirements for a true peace, safeguarding their security and that of the other free countries of Europe.

POLISH FORCES

Divisions of the Polish Army, said the Premier, were reforming in France, and Polish airmen were being trained in Great Britain and in France.

"We are confident that these forces will give a good account of themselves in the common struggle in which we are now engaged."

Returning to the Supreme War Council meeting, Mr. Chamberlain said the picture presented to the Allies was of a Germany putting her own interpretation on the obligations of neutrals, and accompanying it by threats of the dire consequences which might result to them from failure to comply with German demands.

PROBLEM RAISED BY GERMANY

WARNING TO NEUTRALS

"This problem which Germany has raised of a double standard of neutrality is one which we and the neutrals now have to face." (Cheers.)

The Prime Minister contrasted the regard for neutral rights shown by the Allies with German readiness to murder the nationals of neutral States and threaten their invasion when it suited her policy.

"Our respect for neutral rights must not blind us to the fact that any aid they may give to Germany might, if carried far enough, render them in the end liable to the hideous fate that has overtaken the previous victims of German policy." (Cheers.)

To bring the war to a close with the least possible destruction and dislocation of our common material and spiritual civilisation, we must deprive Germany of materials most essential for the prosecution of her aggressive policy.

"The Allies are, therefore, determined to prosecute the economic war to the utmost of their power." (Cheers.)

AGREEMENT WITH DENMARK

Mentioning war trade agreements which had been made, Mr. Chamberlain added: "An agreement with Denmark has been signed this afternoon at the Foreign Office." (Cheers.)

Discussions were proceeding in Paris for a similar agreement between the Allies and Switzerland.

All the war trade agreements they had entered into contained stipulations regulating the exports of neutral countries' own domestic produce to Germany.

"For instance, we have completed arrangements to purchase the entire exportable surplus of Norway's current catch of whale oil. Also Allied purchases of minerals in South-East Europe have been on a large scale."

EMPIRE PRODUCTS

He looked forward to an intensification of trade exchanges with Germany's neutral neighbours.

"At the same time, the countries concerned must realise that we cannot agree to make available to them products drawn from Empire sources unless, in return, they are prepared to give us guarantees as to the limitation of their future trade with Germany."

There were further cheers when Mr. Chamberlain announced: "The Allies are determined to continue and intensify the blockade in every possible way."

Referring to the operations to interfere with the passage of German cargo ships from Scandinavia, he said: "Other measures are under consideration. The House may be assured that we have not yet reached the limit of our effective operations in this region."

OVERLAND SUPPLIES

Concerning the possibility of Germany obtaining supplies by routes confined to the land, and hitherto hardly used, the Prime Minister commented: "We have carefully reviewed the situation, and we intend to take suitable measures."

In this connection he reminded that House that Soviet ships carrying suspected contraband had been stopped in Far Eastern waters. The suggestions of German propaganda that it was Britain's aim to disturb the peace of the Balkans was, of course, untrue. On the contrary their agreements with Turkey had contributed to maintaining peace in South-Eastern Europe.

Concluding, Mr Chamberlain said it was hoped that the meetings of the Supreme War Council might be held more frequently, not only to forward the prosecution of the war, but to help in perfecting the machinery which would be required for consolidating European peace at the end of the war.

JUNGLE LAW

Mr. Attlee (Leader of the Opposition) expressed confidence that all the democracies knew the Allies were fighting their battle, and that, if they did not win, there would be no more international law, but only the law of the jungle, enforced by the brute force of the Nazis.

They had to see that the enemy did not use international law as a cloak for his own designs. He believed the neutral States would understand that the Allies had to review this matter not only on a short view, but on a long view.

Sir Percy Harris (Liberal, Bethnal Green), on behalf of the Opposition Liberals, declared that in making their blockade effective they were entitled to use every legitimate weapon.

LORDS AND THE BLOCKADE

"ENTIRELY IN FAVOUR OF IT"

Lord Lamington, with his right arm in a sling, was present in the House of Lords yesterday when Earl Stanhope, Lord President of the Council, made a statement in similar terms to that of Mr. Chamberlain in the Commons. This was the first time he had taken his seat since he was wounded at Caxton Hall.

Lord Snell, for the Labour Peers, stated they entirely favoured the prosecution of the blockade. They were not certain whether there had not been leakages which might have been arrested, and whether the Treasury had been as helpful as might have been expected.

"We are most anxious, however, that the small nations shall not be under any an-onerous coercion of ours. Co-operation with small neutrals may yield better results than the mere threat to imitate what Germany is doing."

The neutrals must be reminded that if Germany won their freedom would be lost for ever.

FRENCH PREMIER'S BROADCAST TO-DAY

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

M. Reynaud, the new French Premier, will broadcast to America in English at 10 p.m. to-morrow, it was announced here to-night. Owing to unfavourable atmospheric conditions, the broadcast has been twice postponed.

SHORT SITTING OF FRENCH CHAMBER

NO STATEMENT BY M. REYNAUD

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

Expectations that M. Reynaud, the French Prime Minister, would make a statement on the Supreme War Council's decisions were disappointed when the Chamber met to-day.

M. Reynaud put in only a brief appearance, and he had a short whispered conference with M. Herriot, President of the Chamber. After passing a bill prolonging the rent protection decrees until January 1, 1941, the Chamber was adjourned until Thursday week. This means that the Reynaud Government will face the Senate first in a secret session on the conduct of the war next Tuesday.

It is believed that since M. Reynaud's return from London with the "no separate peace" decision, the Right-Wing groups will be willing to support him despite their original objection to the inclusion of Socialists in the Government.

M. Reynaud followed up yesterday's talks with French envoys abroad by receiving to-day the Yugoslav Minister, the Polish *Chargé d'Affaires* and the Belgian Ambassador.

The Allied blockade Ministers, M. Monnet and Mr. Ronald Cross are to confer in London next week-end, it is announced.

Mr. Hore-Belisha, former British War Minister, was at the Chamber, and after the adjournment was received by M. Herriot, the Speaker.

REACTIONS TO PREMIER'S SPEECH

PARIS WELL PLEASED

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

PARIS, Tuesday.

"We have always been confident that the Allies will win the war. Now we are confident that they will win the peace," was one comment in Paris to-night on Mr. Chamberlain's speech. The Allies' determination to wage war in all its aspects, coupled with a plain hint to the neutrals, is felt to give the clue to the lines that a more active Anglo-French policy will take. The *rôle* of the British Navy and the hint of further measures in the North Sea area are noted.

In the economic sphere the revelations of massive Allied purchases in countries bordering on Germany have made a deep impression. Finally, Mr. Chamberlain's references to still closer Anglo-French relations caused universal satisfaction.

HOLLAND'S FEARS

AMSTERDAM, Tuesday.

Mr. Chamberlain's announcement of an intensified blockade of Germany was read with some trepidation in Dutch political circles, who still feel that Britain fails to appreciate to the full the position of the neutrals. The crucial point, it is felt, is the Prime Minister's remark that Britain cannot agree to make available to the neutrals Empire products unless in return they guarantee to limit their future trade with Germany.

The giving of such a guarantee would be an un-neutral act, political quarters declare, and would be bound to expose Holland to retaliatory action by Germany.

The Dutch, it is felt, would run more risk of falling victims to the "hideous fate" which Mr. Chamberlain fears by keeping supplies from Germany than by trying to trade with her on normal lines.

"THREAT TO NEUTRALS," BERLIN SAYS

BERLIN, Tuesday.

"Mr. Chamberlain's speech confirms that the Western Powers are determined to regard the rights of the neutrals as non-existent if this suits their aims," German political circles declared.

"His declarations are solely a threat to the neutrals.

"To what extent Great Britain is determined to disregard the interests of the small countries is proved by the British Prime Minister's announced attempt to turn the thoughts of certain States from the attitude of a correct neutrality by means of trade political agreements.

"Mr. Chamberlain showed once again by to-day's speech that it is necessary to make the British policy for ever impossible."

NORWAY SATISFIED

OSLO, Tuesday.

Considerable satisfaction is expressed in political circles here at the tone of the speech. One political commentator said: "We never really expected that Britain intended to violate Norwegian territorial waters by intercepting German ships, and we are glad to note that the speech appears to be reassuring on that point."

ITALY CRITICAL

ROME, Tuesday.

The "quota for neutrals" plan is already being denounced in advance by Italian political circles as an "arbitrary act."

Criticism appears to be based on the assumption that quotas would be fixed in accordance with each nation's pre-war imports. Commentators say that the Allied cause can only lose ground psychologically in the eyes of the neutrals if an aggravation of the existing blockade measures is intended, while the concrete advantages to be gained are regarded here as dubious. Any interference with neutrals, apart from quotas, is held to be out of the question, for this would "immediately create an extremely delicate situation."

NIGHT RAID ON SCAPA FLOW

'Planes Met With Fierce Fire

GERMANS SAY: WARSHIPS HIT

German aircraft made an attack on Scapa Flow at dusk, states an official Admiralty communiqué issued late last night, but were driven off.

The fire of ships and batteries drove the raiders away.

Bombs were dropped, but no ship was hit or damaged. One bomb fell on the shore.

One of the Nazi aircraft is believed to have been brought down by gunfire.

WHAT RESIDENTS SAW

The bomb, which fell on land, did no damage, and the only part civilian spectators took was as spectators. Air-raid warnings were sounded at dusk, and the all-clear came after three-quarters of an hour.

Fierce anti-aircraft gunfire was heard for about five minutes at Scapa Flow, followed by the sound of the dropping of bombs.

British fighters then went up, and apparently the raiders departed hurriedly. Judging by the noise of the engines there seemed to be a large number of machines

The manager of a public works scheme said that he saw one of the German 'planes falling towards the sea in a spiral movement.

Another resident said that he was in the country, and saw the flashes of five or six bombs as they struck the sea surface.

Another man stated: "I was walking through a park when two enemy machines passed overhead and turned in the direction of Scapa Flow, where apparently they joined the main body of 'planes and then made off."

GERMAN REPORT

"DIRECT HITS ON SHIPS"

The Official German News Agency account of the raid states: "Some hours ago Heinkel bombers once more paid a visit to the British naval base at Scapa Flow. The first 'planes have already returned and are over Heligoland.

"According to radio reports so far received, several English warships were attacked with heavy bombs.

"Some ships sustained direct hits. Others have been damaged by explosions in their immediate vicinity.

"One ship developed a list and on another dense smoke and flames appeared."

THE BERLIN "WHITE PAPER"

U.S. PRESS ALLEGES FORGERY

BERLIN ORDERS MORE REVELATIONS

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

"FORGERY of the Nazis is indicated in the U.S. War Guilt Book," is the heading of an article in the late editions of to-day's "New York Daily News," dealing with the Nazi "White Paper," documents alleged to have been discovered in the Polish Foreign Office after the occupation of Warsaw.

The newspaper says that it submitted photostat copies of one of the documents to three translators individually. Two commented that the report was written in such poor Polish that it was unlikely that a statesman of ambassadorial rank could have been its author, and inclined to the forgery view.

Their report explained: "This document contains the word "przekreslily," intended to mean "crossed out," which is not used in Polish. However, the German word "durchkreuzt," which is constantly used in Nazi political terminology has that meaning.

WORDS

"Apparently assuming that the Germans forged this document they simply translated the word 'durchkreuzt' literally into Polish. Hence the word 'przekreslily.' Further, the word 'urojone' does not exist in the Polish language, nor is there any word similar to it. There is no such word in the standard Polish-American dictionaries. This also applies to the word 'stopastwa,' which appears without meaning in the document."

The "White Paper" published by the German Foreign Office last week claimed to reveal the intention of the United States to enter a war between Germany and the democracies, "but only after Britain and France had begun it."

Emphatic denials of the truth of the statements were made.

MORE DOCUMENTS?

Apparently convinced of the success of the latest "White Book" in creating trouble for President Roosevelt, the Nazi Propaganda Ministry has given orders for the publication of further alleged Polish documents, states an Amsterdam telegram.

The German Press represents America as having been thrown into consternation by the "revelations" in the White Book.

"Sharp criticism of Roosevelt," says the *Voelkischer Beobachter*, "alternates with scandalised demands for an investigation of the activities of the guilty American envoys."

According to the official German wireless, a number of neutral journalists were shown in the German Foreign Ministry what is described as the "Polish original document which formed the base of the new German White Paper and its accusations against the United States."

Thomas J. Gallacher, an 18-years-old Irish youth, who crawled under barbed wire to get into a Government factory—"a protected area"—without a permit, was fined £1 at Paisley Sheriff Court yesterday. The prosecutor said that there was no sinister purpose and Gallacher might have been looking for work.

CONVOYS ATTACKED IN NORTH SEA

Ten Bombs Dropped, but No Damage

ONE GERMAN 'PLANE WRECKED

A JUNKERS 88—latest type of German bomber—damaged.

Two Heinkels driven off by three Hurricane pilots.

Bomb attacks on German patrol ships.

This summarises the results of R.A.F. fights with German 'planes over the North Sea in the last two days.

One British aircraft is missing.

At least ten bombs were dropped by German warplanes which yesterday attacked British convoys in the North Sea, but no hits were obtained.

The Admiralty's official *communiqué* on the attack last night stated:—

"Enemy aircraft attacked our convoys in the North Sea this afternoon, but were driven off by gunfire. At least ten bombs were dropped, but no hits were obtained and no damage was done.

"The convoys are proceeding on their voyages."

One young R.A.F. pilot officer received a slight flesh wound in the leg, but rather than run the risk of not reaching safely his home aerodrome he decided to land immediately. He crossed the coast, and made a good landing in a Norfolk field.

MONDAY'S FIGHT

The fight in which the Junkers was brought down was described by the Air Ministry.

"R.A.F. aircraft of Bomber Command," they announced, "were actively engaged in reconnaissance over the North Sea on Monday.

"Enemy patrol vessels were attacked with bombs, and one enemy aircraft of the Junkers type was engaged and damaged in combat. The wreckage of this aircraft was subsequently observed by a warship."

The Junkers 88 was damaged after a short and sharp engagement with another bomber, a Blenheim, early on Monday. The British machine was returning from a search for German naval vessels, and was well out to sea when it sighted the Junkers. After the encounter the Junkers escaped into a cloud, leaving a trail of black smoke.

UNIDENTIFIED 'PLANE

An unidentified 'plane was reported off the British east coast late yesterday afternoon.

Several explosions were heard, and British fighter 'planes went out to sea.

FIGHTS ALONG WESTERN FRONT

GERMAN 'PLANE FALLS IN A WOOD

FROM THE PRESS ASSOCIATION'S SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT WITH THE R.A.F. IN FRANCE.

Tuesday.

In another thrilling air combat on the Western front yesterday three Hurricane fighters took on a group of Messerschmitt 110's at the usual heavy odds—three to one—and without loss to themselves.

There is every reason to believe they bagged one each. The nine Messerschmitt 110's were sighted by the British airmen during their morning patrol at about 20,000 feet, and as the fighters attacked the enemy split into three.

With flames coming from its port wing, one of the Germans crashed into a wood, and the flying officer who brought it down nearly hit the wood himself in following its course. He could see the German trenches.

Another Hurricane pilot got a hail of bullets into his opponent, and saw smoke pouring from both its engines as it went down, its fuselage riddled with holes.

With the loss of only one machine, the Hurricanes have now shot down at least six Messerschmitt 109's and four 110's in less than a week.

HEAD-ON FIGHT

One British pilot engaged a Messerschmitt 110 in a head-on duel, and, despite a wound in the face, carried on his firing until his ammunition was exhausted and his quarry spinning down out of control. He could not follow it down to earth because he was immediately engaged by another Messerschmitt.

He came safely out of the second encounter, and brought his machine home, undamaged.

The following bulletin has been issued from Headquarters, B.A.F., in France:—

"Yesterday three fighter aircraft of the R.A.F. attacked and broke up a formation of nine Messerschmitt 110's on the Western front near Metz. All our aircraft returned safely."

ARTILLERY ACTIVE IN THE WEST

Last night's official war *communiqué* in Paris states:—"Fairly numerous artillery actions took place to the west of the Vosges. Our fighters came to grips with German fighters in numerous engagements.

"In the course of these fights two enemy twin-engined 'planes have certainly been brought down, one of which fell in our territory, and a third one was very likely shot down.

"One of our fighters has not returned."—(Press Association War Special.)

ANGLO-IRISH TRADE ARRANGEMENTS

MR. DULANTY'S VISIT TO DUBLIN

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Tuesday.

Mr. John Dulanty, Irish High Commissioner, has left London on a special visit to Dublin to review, with the Ministers concerned, the development of the special war-time arrangements entered into with the British Ministry of Food for the supply of Irish produce. He is dealing also with questions arising out of the maintenance of essential raw material supplies from Britain to Irish manufacturers. Arrangements have not yet been completed in regard to butter, cream, and fresh milk—items of some urgency in view of the approach of the summer season.

INSURANCE IN EIRE

NEW SECTION OF ACT TO OPERATE

BIG CHANGE TO TAKE PLACE ON JULY 1

AFTER July 1 next the insurance companies operating in Eire will have to close down either their life or fire and accident departments, an "Irish Times" reporter learned yesterday.

Under the Insurance Act passed some years ago provision was made for segregating the two classes of business—life and fire and accident. This part of the Act is not yet in operation, but it is understood that the Minister for Industry and Commerce has appointed July 1st as the day in which this section will be put into effect.

THE NEW POSITION

The position is, therefore, that insurance companies operating here have to make up their minds as to what branch of the insurance business they are going to carry on in future; but they can, of course, accept new proposals up to the "appointed day" for the class of insurance in which they are at present dealing.

For example, a particular insurance company at present doing both fire and accident and life insurance must, in order to comply with the Act after July 1st, have either given up the life section or the fire and accident section of their business. Any policies which they have accepted before that day, however, will be held by them, and they can continue to collect the premiums in respect of them, except, of course, they decide (which is considered unlikely in respect of several of the larger companies, at any rate) to dispose of their entire interests in the particular branch of insurance they propose to abandon. In anticipation of the Order, one or two companies already have made arrangements which will enable them to comply with the Act.

EFFECTS OF THE CHANGE

What will be the effect of this legislation? Inquiries made in insurance circles yesterday suggested that two Irish companies and two or three companies with head offices outside this country will remain in the life business, and that the remainder will decide to abandon their life department and concentrate on fire and accident business.

Naturally, the companies which have been doing most in the life business will prefer to continue with that business while giving up their fire and accident department, except in so far as it is necessary to collect the premiums of the life business they already have until the policies expire. Under this new arrangement the competition between the companies will be much keener, especially in the fire and accident business.

THE STAFFS

It is not anticipated that the new order of things will affect employment in the insurance world very much. There will be a number of transfers and a slight rearrangement of staffs, but any large volume of unemployment will not be experienced. The tendency will be to drop the life business, and the number employed in it is very small in comparison with fire and accident work.

There is a provision in the Act which provides that if any company wants to dispose entirely of its life or fire and accident business it can secure a temporary licence for nine months to enable it to complete a deal with another company. That means to say, that if a company desires to dispose of its business, including the contracts already made, it can secure a licence to carry on for nine months in order to get an opportunity to dispose of it.

NORTH SEA ENCOUNTER

TWO CRUISERS REPORTED INVOLVED

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

OSLO, Tuesday.

An encounter between two cruisers was witnessed in the North Sea yesterday, according to statements made by members of the crew of a Norwegian ship that arrived at Bergen to-day.

The seamen said that ten or twelve gunshots were exchanged, but they were too far away from the spot where the encounter occurred to see what the result was.

LATE NEWS

FUEHRER'S TALK WITH WAR CHIEFS

Herr Hitler has been in close conference with his war chiefs, Field-Marshal Goering, General Keitel and General von Brauchitsch, states a Rome radio message received this morning.

THREE DEAD IN MUNITIONS EXPLOSION

THREE workers were killed and five seriously injured when a terrific explosion, heard ten miles away, shook a munitions factory in Scotland last night.

A Court of Inquiry has been set up to investigate the accident, the British Minister of Supply announces, and immediate steps have been taken to ensure speedy resumption of production in the affected units.

The following is the list of casualties:—

KILLED.

John McCabe (43), Irvine.
John Kerr (35), Kilmarnock.
James Gechie (40), Kilmarnock.

INJURED.

James McAlonan (47), Dreghorn.
William Cullimore (38), Dundonald.
James Hill (40), Prestwick.
James Dunbar (41), Ayr.
Hugh McLelland (49), Riccarton, Kilmarnock.

FLYING METAL

Columns of smoke and flame shot from one of the buildings and pieces of metal fell out of the sky at the factory gates, dangerously near nightshift men, some of whom were flung to the ground by the blast.

An urgent call for assistance was sent to near-by towns and anxious crowds gathered at the gates for news of their friends and relatives inside.

Mr. James Ross gave a graphic account of the explosion to a reporter.

"I was almost thrown from a chair by the impact," he said, "my house was nearly lifted from its supports. I rushed out, and looking in the direction of the factory saw huge columns of smoke issuing from one of the buildings. The smoke was swept right across the harbour.

"Women rushed from their homes and made for the factory.

"In the distance we saw flames and smoke, and ambulances were rushing to and from the scene."

HEARD TEN MILES AWAY

The explosion was heard over a radius of ten miles. Its force shattered the shop windows of a town a mile from the factory.

One man told the Press Association that the sound of the explosion was terrific. Windows of houses for some distance were shattered, but very little damage seemed to have been done to the main building.

The explosion occurred in a building where about a dozen men were working. According to a man who was working in the neighbourhood of the building, there appeared to have been a fire.

Immediately afterwards, he said, there was an explosion which hurled girders from the roof of the underground building a hundred yards away.

In spite of the grave risk to themselves, the rescuers went in among the wreckage and began moving beams and other *débris* to free the men underneath. Nearly all the men taken out were unconscious and suffering from severe burns.

About an hour after the explosion occurred one body was recovered, and late last night a search was still going on for the bodies of the other two men who are missing.

FEAR OF "STAB IN THE BACK"

WAFD PARTY BACKS BRITAIN

PRESS ASSOCIATION FOREIGN SPECIAL.

CAIRO, Tuesday.

After a two-day meeting of the Wafd (Egyptian Nationalist) Party, Nahas Pasha, the party leader, to-day handed a manifesto to Sir Miles Lampson, the British Ambassador. This emphasised the unanimity with which Egypt extended the hand of friendship to Britain, and her eagerness to offer all possible help to avoid any possibility of Egypt being stabbed in the back.

At the same time, however, it asked for tangible proof of Britain's willingness to respect Egypt's interests once the war was successfully concluded.

The manifesto demands the withdrawal of all British forces from Egypt after the cessation of hostilities, and their replacement by Egyptian forces.

The Anglo-Egyptian Treaty of Alliance would remain in force, but, says the manifesto, owing to the exigencies of war, Egypt could not comply with the clause of the treaty providing for the construction of barracks for British troops.

When the war is over, it says, the Egyptian Army will be capable of assuming the defence of the country, and, therefore, British forces will be unnecessary.

It also demands that Egypt take part in the peace negotiations at the end of the war.

The manifesto also asks that Britain and Egypt shall enter into negotiations for the recognition of Egypt's rights regarding the Sudan, and that England shall renounce her request that a state of siege be proclaimed throughout Egypt since the Wafd alleged that the state of siege was being exploited by the present Egyptian Government.

Sir Miles Lampson forwarded the manifesto to London to-day.

NEW YORK STRIKE OFF

LABOUR CHIEF INTERVENES

New Yorkers heard with relief last night (states the Associated Press) that the threatened strike of 27,000 employés on the city's subways (underground) and elevated railways would not take place.

Mr. John L. Lewis, Chief of the C.I.O. (Congress for Industrial Organisation) stated after a conference with New York's Mayor, La Guardia: "There will be no strike. This entire matter has been satisfactorily settled.

"We expect arrangements to be entered into which will work out satisfactorily and make for increasing efficiency."

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LAND TRUST PROBLEMS

BRITISH TREASURY'S INTEREST

MORE EVIDENCE FOR IRISH COMMITTEE

THE Committee appointed by the Government to examine the difficulties in relation to the property administered by the Irish Sailors' and Soldiers' Land Trust continued their sittings yesterday in the offices of the Industrial Research Council, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin. The members of the Committee are:—Judge Shannon (chairman), Major-General Sir William B. Hickie, K.C.B.; Mr. Thomas Johnson, Mr. T. C. O'Mahony and Senator D. L. Robinson.

The proceedings will be resumed to-day.

Mr. Cyril Browne, Director of the Trust, having referred to the decision of the Supreme Court in the Leggett case, in which it was ruled that tenants of houses erected by the Trust were not bound to pay rent, said that the Trust had encroached on their reserve to the extent of £35,690. At the moment the face value of the reserve was approximately £119,000, but if they continued as at present—spending £7,000 a year—the reserve would be extinguished in fifteen years, long before the generation of beneficiaries would be extinguished. If reconditioning of their property were undertaken, £40,000 would have to be expended from the reserve.

The 1,062 houses built by the Trust since 1925, continued the witness, were spread over the twenty-six counties and in the four county boroughs. There were seventy-seven different schemes. At the present time, if the Trust had ample money, it would proceed with the building of 2,765 more houses, for which there were "live" applications. A number of local authorities had pressed the Trust to connect their houses with water and sewerage services which had been made available. The Trust was most anxious to do so, but they could not do it without money. The work would cost the Trust £7,700.

PURCHASE SCHEME

A purchase scheme for the tenants had been approved by the Trust. At the present time the tenants were only tenants for life, and could not pass on the houses to their children, ever where they had expended considerable sum of money on improvements, etc. The purchase scheme was ready for issue when the decision in the Leggett case intervened. The trustees were anxious to have such a scheme as a number of tenants—about one-fifth of the total—were eager to avail themselves of it. The scheme which would have to be considered with the assistance of the Minister for Local Government envisaged a 10 per cent. deposit and payment of the balance of the cost, assessed at market value, as proposed by the Treasury over a 15 years' period with interest at 3½ per cent.

Mr. Johnson remarked that the houses were built for men who fought in the Great War, and many of those men would have died before another fifteen years had passed.

Senator Robinson said that the Trust, apparently, was given money, but no scheme, to provide houses as rapidly as possible for ex-Service men. The presumption was that every soldier who went out to fight made the same sacrifice, but it appeared that the houses were only given to people who could afford to pay rent for them.

Mr. Browne—It used to be so, but that is now not so.

Replying to Mr. M. Binchy, K.C., who, with Mr. Art O'Connor (instructed by Messrs. Guinan and Sheehan), appeared for the ex-Service Men's Tenants' Rights Association, witness said that the Trust had no income except what accrued from investments. He did not agree that a 15 years' scheme would break down.

COUNSEL'S SUGGESTION

Mr. Binchy—I suggest that a purchase scheme is almost impossible. Don't you think that if you could get the British Treasury to agree that it would be a good thing to hand over these 2,700 houses in Eire to the deserving occupants and let them be responsible in future for maintenance rates, etc.?

Witness—That would be abandoning the Trust.

Mr. Binchy—Don't you think it might be suggested to the British Treasury that the houses should be handed over to the tenants and thus save the Trust £40,000 immediately?

Witness—The houses would then be sold to other purchasers at a profit.

The Earl of Meath, one of the Trustees, said that the policy of the Trust was to leave the widows in occupation of the ex-Service men's houses unless there was anything against them. Actually the Trust had no right to leave any dependants in the houses. In his opinion, it would be a great mistake as long as there were ex-Service men requiring houses to give houses to dependants.

Mr. Binchy—In 1925 the British Treasury intimated that they would sanction payment of £1,300,000 and no more.

The Earl of Meath replied that he believed that was so. He was of the opinion that there was no likelihood of any additional money being granted by the Treasury. It would mean another Act of Parliament, but owing to the war he did not think it advisable to make the proposal.

AS A REWARD

General Sir George Franks said that the Trustees considered the money put up by the British Government was intended as a reward to Irish soldiers for distinguished service in the field. There had been a good deal of questioning about the limitations put upon it, such as whether 40,000 houses should not have been built for Irish ex-Service men. The Trust had to administer under the regulations of the Treasury.

A large number of ex-Service men who had been put into houses by the Local Government Board before the advent of the Trust would not have been considered suitable by the Trust. Distinguished service was taken into consideration by the Trust and they would place a man who won the V.C. or the M.C. or gained a commission from the ranks high in the list of suitable applicants.

Sir George proceeded to refer to the records of two members of the Tenants' Rights' Association. A member selected by the Trust for a house had a distinguished service record, was wounded and had lost a limb. The other ex-Service man who was placed in a house in 1923 by the Local Government Board was two and a half years in the Army. He spent four months in France and his only disability was that he was knocked down by a gun-wagon and he sustained a slight bruise to one of his feet. He (Sir George) mentioned those instances because they were rather *apropos* of some of Mr. Binchy's remarks about handing over the houses as free gifts to men selected by the Local Government Board.

"ATTACK" RESENTED

Mr. Art O'Connor asked Sir George whether he had served in France, whereupon Judge Shannon intervened and said that Mr. O'Connor's query was not relevant to the purposes of the inquiry.

Mr. O'Connor—We resent the attack made upon an individual member of the Association by name, and suggesting that he should not have got a house. There is not a word in the Act to disqualify him. We object to Sir George Franks availing of this opportunity to make an attack upon any ex-Service man, no matter how humble he might be.

Captain Bardon, engineer, and an inspector of the Trust, gave evidence of having inspected the houses of ex-Service men, and he found that their deterioration had become a very serious matter, and the cost of repairing them would run to between £20,000 and £40,000.

Mr. A. K. Overend, K.C.; Mr. P. Cullinan, K.C., and Mr. I. J. Kelly (instructed by Mr. P. Coll) appeared for the Trust.

JUVENILE CRIME IN BELFAST

SOME REMARKABLE FIGURES

GRAVE PROBLEM, SAYS LORD CHIEF JUSTICE

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Tuesday.

THE gravity of juvenile crime in Belfast was impressed upon the Grand Jury at the opening of the Belfast City Commission to-day by Lord Chief Justice Andrews. "You may ask me, and you may ask yourselves," he said, "what is the explanation of the growth of this juvenile crime in our midst. I do not and I cannot pretend here now to give an exhaustive analysis of the cause of crime, but I can tell you that from a perusal of the depositions I find amongst others as primary causes of the commission of crimes, a lack of parental supervision and control, and a sort of passionate craving for cigarettes, frequently stolen for the purpose of sale, and also sweets, stolen in most cases for consumption, and further, a desire for money, in order that the youthful offenders may proceed at once to the pictures.

SERIOUS PROBLEM

"With the full weight of my position on the Bench, I do declare emphatically that there is no social problem which more earnestly awaits solution, for it is no exaggeration to say that the whole future of our country is in a large measure dependent on the training and education of the youth of to-day."

He found that for the corresponding Commission period of last year there were 14 cases in which juveniles were responsible for 17 crimes. In this period of less than six weeks now they had 40 juveniles who were alleged to have been responsible for 35 cases. In other words, the number of cases had approximately doubled and the number of alleged juvenile offenders had been trebled.

There were five of these children—for they were nothing else—actually under the age of ten years. There were two whose ages were between 10 and 12, and there were 33 whose ages ranged from 12 to 16.

One of these youthful offenders was charged with an indecent assault on a female; another was charged with housebreaking; 14 with breaking into shops, and three with stealing from stationary vehicles; nine with larceny from shops and stalls, and seven with simple larceny, and, finally, one with malicious injury.

One boy, who was only 14½ years of age, had been concerned with five shop-breaking cases and two larcenies. Another boy of 14½ years was alleged to have been concerned in four house-breakings and one larceny, whilst a third, 15½ years, was alleged to have been responsible for no less than five distinct larcenies.

RESIGNATIONS OF TWO BRITISH M.P.'S

BY-ELECTIONS INVOLVED

Two British by-elections become necessary through the resignations, announced last night, of Mr. William Stephen Sanders, Labour member for North Battersea, and Sir Nicholas Grattan-Doyle, Conservative member for the North Division of Newcastle-on-Tyne.

Sir Nicholas Grattan-Doyle is retiring because of ill-health, and in connection with Mr. Sanders's resignation it is recalled that some twelve months ago he collapsed in the House of Commons owing to heart trouble.

Mr. Sanders had a majority of 5,203 over a Conservative opponent at the last election; while Sir Nicholas Grattan-Doyle's majority over Labour was 17,990.

OBITUARY

THE VEN. ARCHDEACON GRIMES

The death took place yesterday morning of the Venerable Archdeacon Christopher Grimes, P.P., St. Kevin's Church, Harrington street, Dublin, aged eighty. A native of Skerries, he was educated at Maynooth College and was ordained in 1884. His first appointment was to the curacy at Lucan. He was curate at Dunlaoire and Maynooth, and subsequently he ministered at the Church of St. Nicholas of Myra, Francis street, Dublin. While still young he became curate in St Kevin's, Harrington street, and on February 17, 1917, he was appointed parish priest of Donabate. Two years later he was made parish priest of Rush. In 1923 Father Grimes was made canon, and in 1924 he became parish priest of St. Michan's, Halston street, Dublin. In November, 1929, he was made parish priest of St. Kevin's, and during his ministry there he helped in the organisation of the Eucharistic Congress of 1932. He succeeded Archdeacon Monahan as archdeacon in 1935. Archdeacon Grimes was much loved by the people of his parish, and, indeed, by everyone who knew him. He was a noted administrator and took a keen interest in the schools of the parish. He was particularly interested in the Christian Brothers' Schools, Synge street, of which he was spiritual director.

THE VERY REV. M. DWYER, P.P.

The Very Rev. Michael Dwyer, P.P., Church of the Holy Name, Beechwood avenue, Dublin, and secretary to two former archbishops, died at a nursing home in Dublin yesterday, aged about sixty years. He was ordained in the Pro-Cathedral, Dublin, in 1903, and, after serving for several months at Greystones, he was appointed assistant priest at Fairview, where he remained for seven years. In 1910 he became secretary of the late Dr. Walsh, Archbishop of Dublin, and he was made secretary to the late Archbishop, Dr. Byrne, in 1922. In the following year he was appointed curate at St. Mary's, Haddington road, and in December of that year he became parish priest of the Church of St. Laurence O'Toole, Seville place, remaining there until his appointment, five years later, as parish priest at Beechwood avenue.

MR. EDWARD CAROLIN HARTE

The death occurred on Monday last, at his residence, Abingdon, Shankill, County Dublin, of Mr. Edward Carolin Harte, second son of the late Dr. John Farren Harte, Coolraine, Queen's County, in his eighty-fourth year. Mr. Harte was associated with the stockbroking profession in the firm of Messrs. Wheeler and Harte, Dame street, Dublin, for over forty years, and had been the sole partner in the business before his retirement a short time ago. Owing to health reasons he had had to cease his studies for the medical profession, otherwise he would have represented the fourth generation of the family to enter it. He was a nephew of the late Deputy Inspector-General Mark Anthony Harte, Royal Navy.

MR. MAURICE BLOOD

The death was announced yesterday at the age of seventy of Mr. Maurice Blood, the Bisley marksman, of Park avenue, Willesden, London. He retired from the ranges five years ago, as he wished to say good-bye while still in the first rank, "instead of waiting until the right eye loses its keenness and the left hand loses its steadiness." He first started shooting at the revolver ranges in 1897. Shortly afterwards he took to shooting on the long ranges, and won the Match Rifle Championship in 1911, 1919 and 1930. In 1931 he created a record for Britain in Ireland, and it is believed for the world, by firing thirty-five consecutive bull's eyes at 1,100 yards. Another of his Bisley records was the making of twenty-six consecutive appearances for Ireland in the Elcho Shield match. Shortly after the start of his career as a marksman he had a narrow escape from death, when a service revolver bullet went through his chest, missing his heart by inches. Six weeks later he made top score in two competitions. During the last war he was engaged in work connected with small arms ammunition at Woolwich. Mr. Blood was a stockbroker in the City of London, and few people knew that he was a Fellow of the Chemical Society and a Fellow of the Microscopical Society, as well as being a Master of Arts. He was an expert mathematician. He leaves a widow and two sons.

MR. JOHN CUSACK, K.C.

Mr. John Cusack, K.C., a former Mayor of Twickenham, and a member of the Middlesex County Council, died yesterday at his Strawberry Hill (Twickenham) home, aged 73. He retired some time ago. On Monday last, when he went for his usual walk, he seemed in perfect health. Before settling in England in 1924 Mr. Cusack was a County Court Judge in Kerry and Limerick. He was also formerly counsel to the Attorney-General in Ireland, having served throughout the troublous times of the Irish rebellion. He was also Crown Prosecutor for County Louth. In 1910 he contested Newry Borough unsuccessfully as a parliamentary candidate, and some ten years ago his name was considered as an Empire Free Trade candidate for the Borough of Twickenham, but he did not stand.

DRAMA FESTIVAL ENDS

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

DUNDALK, Tuesday.

The Louth Drama Festival, which has been successfully carried on for the past ten days, concluded to-night in St. Mary's Hall, Dundalk, when "The New Gossoon," played by the Good Companions, ended a record feast of dramatic art.

The following were the prize-winners:—

Lord Longford Cup—Dundalk Dramatic Club, for "The Far-Off Hills."

The Committee Cup—Dundalk Literary and Dramatic Society, for "Things That Are Caesar's."

The McGuinness Cup—The Laurencetown Dramatic Society, for "A Little Bit of Shamrock."

Play in Manuscript—Laurencetown Dramatic Players.

One-act Plays—Father Mathew Players, Dublin, for "The Valiant."

Individual Acting Prizes—Miss Lucy Farrelly and Joseph Corcoran.

IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF

Rate Up 2s.—Waterford Corporation will be asked to approve of a rate of 21s. 8d. in the £, an increase of 2s.

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Belfast Harbour Board Chairman.—Sir Ernest Herdman, D.L., was elected Chairman of the Belfast Harbour Board yesterday for the fifteenth year in succession.

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Superintendent Retires.—"Iris Oifigiuil" announces that Superintendent Denis Tuomey has retired from the Civic Guards as from March 29. He had been in charge of the County Roscommon for many years.

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Dungannon Fire.—Three men who were detained by the police after a fire in St. Patrick's Hall, Dungannon, on the eve of its occupation by the military, were released yesterday.

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Remanded on Larceny Charge.—At Cork District Court yesterday Patrick Byrd, 13 St. Mary's place, Gurranebraher, Cork, was remanded on bail, charged with having stolen sheep skins value £8 13s.

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Clones Milk Supply.—The Northern Ministry of Local Government refused to sanction a tender adopted by Clones Urban Council for the supply of milk under the free milk scheme at 4s. 6d. per gallon. It was decided to re-advertise for milk tenders.

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Postman Sent to Jail.—Thomas Tallon, a postman, of Strand street, Clogherhead, was at Drogheda Circuit Court yesterday, before Judge Comyn, sentenced to six months' hard labour on charges of stealing postal packets containing £10 3s. 6d. He pleaded guilty.

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Belfast Foundry Blaze.—Portion of the machine shop at the foundry of Messrs. Stephen Cotton, Ltd., Brookfield, Sydney street, West, Belfast, was destroyed by fire which broke out on Monday evening, due, it is believed, to a spark from a furnace. Valuable material and machinery were damaged.

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Bray Rates May Be Higher.—At Bray Urban Council last night the Town Clerk stated that the total amount of the poor rate charges demand was £16,483, an increase of £3,200, or 1s 10d. in the £ over the poor rate of last year. The matter was referred to the Estimates and Rates Committee.

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Presentation to Bank Manager.—On his departure from Dundalk, where for twelve years he was manager of the National Bank, to Rathmines, Mr. Edward Telford was presented with a silver salver and a cocktail cabinet by the bank's customers with whom he had been very popular.

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Killed by Falling Tree.—A verdict of accidental death was returned yesterday at an inquest held at Omagh by Mr. A. F. Colhaun, Coroner, into the death of Thomas John Pauley, labourer, Carr, Beragh, who died after receiving injuries to one of his legs when a tree he was felling struck him.

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Buried on the Footpaths.—When the question of a site for a proposed burial ground at Skerries was raised at yesterday's meeting of the Dublin Board of Health Mr. P. J. Fogarty, T.D., said that the existing graveyard is in a disgraceful state. They are burying people everywhere there, even on the footpaths. It was stated that an inquiry on the subject would be held soon.

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Agricultural Price Index.—The agricultural price index number for January, 1940, was 133.6 (base 1911-13—100), compared with 137.9 in December, 1939, and 109.6 in January, 1939. Agricultural produce that sold for £5 in 1913 would now bring £6 13s. 6d., and £5 9s. 6d. in January of last year.

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Bail Instead of Jail.—At Cork Circuit Court yesterday, in an appeal by Edmond Harris, of Shanakiel, Cork, against 14 days' imprisonment for stealing 5s. from a fellow-traveller on a bus, the judge was informed that the money had been refunded. He affirmed the District Court decision, but varied the order by binding appellant over.

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"Not a Public Dance."—At Cork Circuit Court yesterday James Barrett successfully appealed against a fine for using an unlicensed hall for a dance at Carrigtwohill. It was stated that a variety show was given, after which appellant invited the audience, except younger persons, to remain for a dance, which had not been advertised. Judge O'Connor held it was not a public dance, and reversed the District Court decision.

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Belfast Dock Strike.—After having been engaged for an hour discharging a cargo of grain from a ship at the Belfast docks yesterday morning one hundred dockers ceased work. The men's complaint is that the cargo, which consists of 2,000 tons of bag grain and 5,000 tons of bulk, should all be discharged by them, but the consignees had decided that the bulk cargo be taken off by mechanical suckers. Later almost one hundred other dockers discharging a mixed cargo from another ship also came out on strike.

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"Wonderful Milk."—"You are to be congratulated on producing milk of such wonderful richness, and you will have people rushing to buy it no matter what the Act says. I am going to dismiss the case against you since you have such remarkable milk," said District Justice O'Sullivan at Blarney yesterday, dismissing a prosecution against Daniel Meaney, Kocknalyne, for selling milk deficient in solids other than fats. Defendant said that the milk fats in his milk averaged 3.75 per cent. He attributed the deficiency in other solids to shortness of concentrated food for the cattle.

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Jail for Assault.—"I have seldom heard such brazen perjury as from the defendant," said District Justice O'Sullivan, at Blarney District Court yesterday, when he sentenced John O'Brien, Carhue, Kilnap, to two months' imprisonment for assaulting Anthony O'Flynn, Thomas Davis street, Cork, who declined to prosecute. The justice added that but for the perjury he would have dealt with the matter by a fine. He dismissed a cross summons for assault. Before the court rose an application was made to have defendant's mother bound to the peace, it being alleged that she threatened O'Flynn as he was leaving the court. The justice cautioned her.

GOOD WORK FOR EDUCATION

BLACKROCK COLLEGE UNION DINNER

"OLD BOYS" WELCOME NEW PRESIDENT

THERE was a large gathering of "old boys" at the annual dinner of the Blackrock College Union at the College last night.

Mr. A. Dwyer, President of the Union, proposed the toast of "The Provincial and the Presidents of the Holy Ghost Colleges of Ireland." It was a privilege, he said, to propose the toast of the evening to Dr. Murphy, and to Father English, President of Blackrock; Father Dinan, President of Rockwell, and Father Walsh, President of St. Mary's. He thanked the representatives of other unions for attending.

This dinner was the first opportunity that had been afforded the union to welcome Father English as President of the College. They could already see the signs of his placing another success to his credit, and they wished him many years of happiness and prosperity in his high office.

BOYS' CLUB

Mr. Dwyer spoke of the great success of the Boys' Club at Dun Laoghaire, and the excellent work of the secretary, Mr. Brian Patterson.

Their loyalty and affection for the Holy Ghost Fathers, he concluded, was based on the knowledge that the education they had received from them would not have been within the reach of their parents if the members of the Order had not placed their valuable services and great teaching ability at their disposal free of all monetary reward for the greater honour and glory of God.

Replying to the toast, the Rev. J. English, C.S.Sp., President, Blackrock College, said that if ever an educational tree could stand the scrutiny of its fruits, surely such a tree was Blackrock College. They had with them that night leading men of every branch of the civil service, leaders of the Bench and Bar, leading men in all the professions, in industry, in commerce—not even omitting the much-abused farming industry.

From the time of the revered and saintly Father Leman, founder of the College, to the present day no President ever had enjoyed the co-operation of a more loyal and united staff, both lay and clerical, than it was his privilege to possess.

Father English thanked the Union for the artistic plaque near the chapel door. The example of the Union which they valued most was the participation in the work of the St. Vincent de Paul Society and of the Legion of Mary, the founding and running of the Boys' Club at Dun Laoghaire, and the valuable work for Catholic Action. They of the College who had dedicated themselves to a noble work had the immense consolation to know that they were doing positive good to the Catholic youth of to-day, and a still greater good to the Catholic Ireland of to-morrow.

THE ATTENDANCE

The attendance included:—Mr. Edward A. Dwyer (President, Blackrock College Union); the Right Rev. Dr. J. C. Neville, Titular Bishop of Carrae; the Very Rev. D. Murphy, M.A., D.D., C.S.Sp. (Provincial); the Very Rev. J. English, B.Sc., C.S.Sp. (President, Blackrock College); the Very Rev. V. Dinan, C.S.Sp. (President, Rockwell College); the Very Rev. P. Walsh, C.S.Sp. (President, St. Mary's College); Mr. J. J. Robinson (President, Clongowes Union); Mr. J. V. Downes, B.Arch., F.R.I.A.I. (President, Castleknock College Union); Mr. J. P. Keane (President, O'Connell's School Union); Mr. G. S. Hogan (President, C.U.S. Union); Major Gleeson (President, Rockwell College Union); Mr. John F. Leonard (President, Terenure College Union); Dr. J. Dunne (President, Clongowes Rovers Union); Mr. Kevin M. Collins and Mr. R. P. Humphries (Joint Honorary Secretaries, Blackrock College Union); Mr. Stanley Lynn (Hon. Secretary, Clongowes Union); Mr. F. F. Ryan, B.E. (Hon. Secretary, Rockwell College Union); Mr. R. N. MacArthur (Hon. Secretary, C.U.S. Union); Mr. M. J. Kenny (Hon. Secretary, Synge Street Union); Dr. J. W. Spain, Mr. Justices Martin Maguire, Mr. Kevin Haugh, Attorney-General; Commissioner M. J. Kinnane, Judge Cahir Davitt, the Right Hon. James MacMahon, Mr. R. P. Brown, Mr. W. E. Corrigan, Senator Bartolville, Mr. T. J. Morris, Dr. Louis Roche, the Rev. Dr. Rodgers, C.M., Mr. M. Winston, Mr. Sean Winston, the Rev. W. Finn, C.S.Sp., Major Vincent Kenny, Mr. L. B. McMahon, Mr. E. J. Kenny, Mr. T. B. Cosgrave, B.L., LL.B.; Dr. T. H. O'Connor, Mr. John A. Bellew, Mr. E. T. McCormack, B.L., Mr. Fleetwood, Mr. W. Boyle Rawlitt, Mr. B. Coffey, Mr. J. A. Glynn, Mr. C. S. Doyle, Mr. Vincent O'Donovan, Dr. J. F. Stanley, Mr. B. J. O'Kelly, Mr. J. M. W. Crowley, Mr. D. Ivory, Mr. C. Keogh, Mr. G. A. McNamara, Mr. E. Crowley, Mr. J. M. Reffe, Mr. R. Downey, Mr. Martin A. Downes, Mr. J. Doran, Mr. A. Kennedy, Mr. I. Nordell, Mr. T. Fergal Smithwick, Mr. J. Cremins, the Rev. M. Fewsen, C.C.; Mr. P. F. O'Donovan, M.A.; Mr. D. MacGrianna, Mr. J. Carty, Mr. B. Ellis, Mr. Kevin J. Keenan, Mr. A. C. Butler, Mr. P. Burke, Mr. R. Kenny, Mr. W. Connery, Mr. C. Russell, Mr. P. P. Gately, Mr. T. Kenny, Mr. W. J. O'Byrne, Mr. K. Devine, Mr. S. MacKenzie, Mr. P. MacKenzie, Mr. P. Dempsey, Mr. P. Hawkins, Mr. T. Walsh, Mr. C. Dunlevy, Mr. J. Gormas, Dr. O'Rourke, the Rev. Father Cunningham, C.S.Sp.; Mr. M. A. Tuohy, the Rev. C. Daly, C.S.Sp.; Mr. J. Hohr, the Rev. J. Finucane, C.S.Sp.; Mr. Tadgh O'Neill, Mr. M. O'Conaill and Dr. T. J. Kiernan.

ROYAL AIR FORCE AWARDS

HONOUR FOR NORTHERN PILOT

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Tuesday.

The British Air Ministry last night announced that the King had been pleased to approve of the under-mentioned awards in recognition of gallantry displayed in flying operations against the Germans:—

DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS

Squadron-Leader Miles Villiers Delap.

Squadron-Leader Delap was the pilot of an aircraft engaged in a reconnaissance over Heligoland Bight in March. While he was penetrating into a strongly-defended area and descending through cloud to about 1,000 feet, a submarine was sighted, moving slowly on the surface. Squadron-Leader Delap immediately attacked from about 500 feet, allowing the submarine no time to submerge. He released a salvo of four bombs, and two direct hits were observed. He then continued the reconnaissance, which produced valuable results.

DISTINGUISHED FLYING MEDAL

580132 Sergeant Richard Samuel Gunning.

Sergeant Gunning was the pilot of an aircraft engaged on a reconnaissance in March, over a strongly defended area of the Heligoland Bight. As he was coming through the clouds at 2,500 feet he sighted a submarine on the surface. He at once dived and attacked, giving the submarine no chance to submerge. Four bombs were dropped, the submarine being hit between the stern and the conning tower.

Squadron-Leader Delap was born in 1905 at Strabane, County Tyrone. He was educated at Campbell College, Belfast, and at St. John's College, Oxford. He served in the Oxford University Air Squadron, and entered the Royal Air Force Special Reserve as Pilot Officer in 1927. The following year he received a permanent commission. He was promoted Flying Officer in 1929, Flight-Lieutenant in 1934, and Squadron-Leader in 1938. He has been engaged on flying and staff duties at home.

Sergeant Gunning was born at Edmonton, London, and is 27 years of age. He was a clerk before he enlisted in the Royal Air Force in 1936.

CLERICAL OFFICERS.—Next Exam. July, 1940. Oral and Postal Classes. 10 Successes, July, 1939.—SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Green, Dublin.—(Advt.)

SERVICE PENSION CLAIM

BARRISTER'S PLEA TO COURT

CRITICISM OF DELAY IN DECISIONS

(BEFORE THE PRESIDENT OF THE HIGH COURT, MR. JUSTICE HANNA AND MR. JUSTICE MARTIN MAGUIRE.)

MR. CECIL LAVERY, K.C., with whom were Mr. [illegible] Boe, K.C., and Mr. Art O'Connor, instructed by Mr. G. L. McGowan, applied on behalf of Mr. Joseph O'Doherty, barrister-at-law, Derryana, Balbriggan, Co. Dublin, for an order to make absolute, notwithstanding cause shown, a conditional order of *mandamus* which had been granted by the President of the High Court, directed to Circuit Judge Thomas O'Donnell in his capacity as Referee appointed under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934, requiring him to investigate the application of Mr. O'Doherty for a service certificate under the Act, and to report to the Minister thereon.

Mr. Kevin Dixon, K.C., and Mr. [illegible] (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) appeared for the Referee, Judge O'Donnell.

The President congratulated Mr. Dixon on his admission to the Inner Bar.

Mr. O'Doherty, in an affidavit, had stated that he had joined the Irish Volunteers in 1913. In March, 1917, he was elected a member of the Executive of the Volunteers, and continued a member until the last meeting of the Executive in October, 1921. On July 1, 1922, he was attached to B Company of the 3rd Battalion Dublin Brigade, and was on duty until the end of 1923.

On December 30, 1935, he applied for a certificate under the Act, and in July, 1937, he gave evidence about his claim. His claim had not been dealt with by the Referee.

Mr. Lavery said that an affidavit had been put in by the Referee, and one by his Secretary, Eamon de Burca, showing cause, and, in brief, the answer was that the Referee had not time to investigate applications. From the material given in the affidavits it would appear that at the rate of progress that had been made in the applications that had already come before the referee, Mr. O'Doherty's application would be heard some time within the next ten years, or perhaps much longer.

In the affidavit of the referee, which was referred to by Mr. Lavery, Judge O'Donnell denied that he had refused to investigate Mr. O'Doherty's application or to report to the Minister on it, and said that the investigation was proceeding in accordance with the normal procedure. Mr. O'Doherty's application had been put on a "deferred list" by his predecessor some months before he took up duty as referee and it had not yet come before him for final decision. Should the relief claimed by Mr. O'Doherty be granted by the Court some forty-five thousand other applicants would be entitled to similar relief. All applications had been dealt with with the utmost possible expedition.

60,000 APPLICATIONS

Mr. Eamon de Burca in his affidavit stated that the number of applications under the Act which had been referred to the referee by the Minister for Defence now totalled nearly 60,000. To date, nearly 38,000 of the total applications had been considered, and over 13,000 had been reported on either for grant or refusal of a service certificate, while about 6,000 had been put in the "deferred class." Of the remaining 19,000, 13,000 were cases in which a *prima facie* case was not made out, and the applicants were being, or had been, invited to submit further evidence in support of their claims; and the inquiries were proceeding in those in which further evidence had been tendered, while the balance of some 6,000 were cases in which as yet only the oral examination of the applicant had taken place. In all, there had been over 18,000 oral examinations of applicants alone.

Mr. O'Doherty's application had yet to come before the Referee and Advisory Committee for final decision.

Mr. Lavery mentioned that Mr. O'Doherty had been interned or imprisoned on three or four occasions, and had been in Frongoch and Ballykinlar. On a calculation of the most general kind he was entitled to a pension of between £250 and £300 per annum, so that his arrears of pension, assuming that were made good, would amount to upwards of £1,000.

Mr. Dixon—I am certainly not admitting that proposition.

"No," said Mr. Lavery; "but that is a general calculation."

Mr. Dixon submitted that the relief sought was both inappropriate and futile, because the Referee already was investigating the case, which was all the application asked him to do. The application did not ask that the Referee should be required to investigate and report forthwith or within any particular time.

The President said that it seemed to him that the Act contemplated that all the cases would be completed within a reasonable time, not ten, or even five, years. He thought the Referee could have established machinery by which the work could be expedited. A successful applicant was entitled to receive his pension from the date of the passing of the Act, but at the rate the claims were being dealt with an applicant might be dead before his case would receive final consideration.

Mr. Dixon said that claims under the Damage to Property (Compensation) Act, 1933, were still being heard last year, although it was seven years since that Act was passed, and nobody who had filed a claim within the prescribed period had come into those Courts and asked for a *mandamus*. The fundamental things in regard to *mandamus* were that there must be a demand for the performance of a particular duty and a refusal to perform that duty. The corollaries were that the demand must be specific and the refusal must be clear.

The President asked if it would be possible to have more clearly on affidavit particulars about the sittings of the Referee.

Mr. Dixon said that he thought it would be quite easy for the Secretary to give the information.

For this purpose the further hearing was adjourned until Thursday.

CHILDREN USED FOR BEGGING

PROSECUTIONS SUGGESTED

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

CORK, Tuesday.

The annual report to be presented to the annual meeting of the Cork and District Branch, National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, says that during the year 430 cases were investigated affecting the welfare of 1,167 children. There were 2,209 visits of supervision and 1,370 visits of inquiry. The report states that it is gratifying to observe a very decided improvement in the matter of street trading by children. Commenting that children were still being used for begging purposes, the report says that most of the people concerned in this came from places outside the city and live in caravans in the suburbs and sometimes in lodging-houses. It would be well if some system of inspection by night of the living conditions in these cases were put into operation in the interests of the juveniles. It would also have a good effect on people using children for begging on the streets to have proceedings instituted to have such children taken from them and sent to industrial schools.

FUNERAL

MR. PAUL L. BANIM

The funeral of Mr. Paul L. Banim, of 65 Wellington road, Dublin, took place yesterday after Mass at St. Mary's, Haddington road, Dublin, celebrated by the Rev. J. Hooke, O.C.

Mr. Banim was a Higher Executive Officer of the Land Commission. When Mr. W. T. Cosgrave, T.D., was President of the Executive Council, Mr. Banim was his Secretary, also he was Registrar in the Department of Industry and Commerce. Mr. Banim was born in Dublin, and was educated at the Christian Brothers' Schools, James's street, Dublin. He had contributed many articles to daily newspapers and magazines.

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SMUGGLED PIGS

£100 FINES AT CASTLEBLAYNEY

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

DUNDALK, Tuesday.

At Castleblayney District Court to-day Philip McCreesh, Muckno street, Castleblayney, was charged with importing 14 pigs into Eire.

Mr. J. J. Keenan, prosecuting, said that not only did McCreesh break the laws of this country, but he committed another offence in the North by robbing the owner of the pigs of £142 4s. 6d. The State evidence was that McCreesh entered the North and took delivery of 14 pigs from Michael Turley; drove to Donnelly's factory in Dublin and sold the pigs for £142 4s. 6d. This was not a *bona fide* transaction on the part of the factory, and the money was handed to McCreesh, who was a frequent customer. McCreesh started a rumour that he had been intercepted by Customs officers or the Civic Guards in Balbriggan, and that the pigs had been seized.

McCreesh pleaded guilty to the smuggling and said that he had paid £42 of the proceeds of the sale to Turley, and held a lien against this prosecution. He said he was only working for Turley.

District Justice Goff warned defendant that he was not bound to implicate himself in his answers, in case the State were to charge him with appropriating £100 to his own use.

The Justice fined defendant £100, and ordered it to be paid forthwith, or serve six months in jail. If defendant didn't pay at once, he was to be taken into custody.

Mr. J. Corrigan, solicitor, asked that the stay be given.

Justice—I could not, after such a contemptible piece of trickery. If he were given bail, a person who would play such a trick would not scruple to let down the people who bailed him.

At the same court, fines of £100 each were imposed on Peter McMahon, Lisdrumgormley, and Terence Mone, Tassan, on a charge of importing seven pigs. The Justice recommended to the Revenue Commissioners that the fines be substantially reduced. A charge against Luke Callan, employé of Mone, was dismissed under the Probation Act.

McMahon was also charged with keeping 23 pigs which had been imported. He pleaded guilty, and a fine of £100 was imposed, but the Justice recommended a substantial reduction.

WEDDING

MR. W. N. GRIFFIN AND MISS B. U. JOYCE

The wedding took place yesterday at St. Joseph's Church, Clifden, of Mr. William N. Griffin, youngest son of Mr. Thomas Griffin and the late Mrs. Griffin, Ashleigh, Cheskeagh, County Dublin, and Miss Bartha Una Joyce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Joyce, Seaview House, Clifden.

The ceremony, with Nuptial Mass, was performed by the Rev. Father M. O'Donnell, O.

REFRESHER COURSE

AN APPARITION on the prowl in Dublin yesterday.

CALLED TO the inner Bar in Dublin yesterday: Mr. Oliver Moriarty, Mr. Kevin Dixon and Mr. Barra O'Brien.

THE SCATTERBRAIN Concert Party, who are appearing at the Sandymount Lecture Hall to-night, in aid of the Manse Fund.

REHEARSING "An Dochtúir Bréige" at the Peacock Theatre; this play won first prize at Feis Atha Cliath.

MISS MARION KING at her Exhibition of Paintings for Children in 42 Upper Mount street.

BECTIVE RANGERS' scrum-half coming away from a poor scrum during their Leinster Senior Cup replay with Trinity at Lansdowne road.

MISS MAURA WYNNE, who won three first prizes for vocal solos at the Sligo Feis Ceoil.

A GROUP taken at St. Columba's College, where the Church of Ireland Clergy Refresher Course is being held. Front Row (from left): The Rev. J. Jackson, Canon E. H. F. Campbell, the Rev. F. H. Kinch, the Rev. E. C. Daunt (Hon. Secretary), the Rev. C. W. Sowby (Warden of St. Columba's), the Bishop of Tuam (President), Dr. A. A. Luce (Lecturer), Archdeacon Peacocke, the Rev. J. B. Neligan (Hon. Treasurer), Canon E. Mitchell and the Rev. C. W. A. Huston. Included at back are: The Revs. C. M. Stack, H. R. Penney, Blackwell-Smyth, R. E. Devlin, C. J. Tyndall, H. J. McKane, R. C. Madden, W. E. White, D. C. O'Connell, J. A. O'Neill, C. W. Quin, M. C. Semple, J. W. Nicholson, J. Going, R. J. Perdue, E. G. Broadstock, M. L. Ferrar, J. R. Brady, N. St. G. Sides, J. M. Wallace, W. L. Giff, H. Fair, J. L. McKeown, T. Johnston, D. F. Moore, R. A. Mollon, R. G. S. Gregg, O. S. Daunt, B. C. Irwin, F. C. Long, D. C. Dunlop, C. H. Craig, T. Parr, W. J. Whittaker, F. Powell, R. W. Williams, Canon J. B. Shea, Canon C. F. Wilson, the Rev. R. J. Charters and Canon C. S. Ellison.

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The Matron thanks all the kind friends who took tables at her recent bridge party in aid of the Linen Guild, and for the following gifts:—Mrs. R. Murphy, Greenogue, Clonskeagh, £3; Mrs. Beatty, Ballinteer, Dundrum, £2; "Anon" per Miss Stacey, Mrs. J. W. Brittain, Donnybrook, Miss D. Browne, Blackrock, Miss M. Chance, Molesworth street, Mrs. Gibson, St. Kevin's Park, Colm Lawless, Esq., Swords, Mrs. Leslie, 24 Eglinton road, Mrs. Gerald Martin, Rathfarnham, Dr. and Mrs. McDonagh, Fitzwilliam place, Mrs. O'Reilly, Marino House, Killiney, Miss J. Reid, Dalkey, £1 each; Dr. Mgt. Donaldson, Miss Spratt, Rathdown Park, 7/6 each; Mrs. J. Hubbard Clark, Glasnevin, Miss Lawless, Rathgar, 5/- each; Mrs. Buchanan, Milltown, 2/6.

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TRIAL FOR THE MURDER OF SIR M. O'DWYER

Udham Singh, the 37 years old Indian, who is accused of the murder of Sir Michael O'Dwyer at an India meeting at Caxton Hall, Westminster, on March 13, was at Bow street, London, yesterday, committed for trial at the Old Bailey. Singh has been described as an engineer of Mornington terrace, London.

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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE

STANDING BY TIME STEP

Quartier Maitre and Uncle Archie for Places

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

LINCOLN, Tuesday Night.

IT is a general opinion that Quartier Maitre will remain a clear favourite up to the off of the Lincolnshire Handicap, as many people who have been watching his work at Newmarket are not greatly attached to the chance of Titan and say that Lord Rosebery's colt has two ways of working at home. Quartier Maitre, possibly, has done a good deal more work of a sort, for there were ideas of running him in hurdle races, and Ivor Anthony is understood to be well pleased with his condition.

He ran five times in England last season without winning, though he was only once out of the first four, which says there is ability there; but he has run disappointing races, suggesting that his courage may have a limit. However, this is not a Royal Hunt Cup field and Quartier Maitre can be regarded as well handicapped.

Wonersh Pleases at Home

Few horses in the race have been more consistently backed than Wonersh and Miss Paget's colt is greatly fancied. His best performances of last season were at five furlongs, though he did win over the Sandown mile after coming to England. That, however, was not much of a test of stamina, and I should say that Time Step is better guaranteed to get the distance here than Wonersh. The brothers Anthony let the pair go along together on Saturday over five furlongs and Wonersh went with more dash than the American gelding.

Time Step's three good wins last season were all accomplished over a mile and on different courses, so there should be no doubt about his getting the trip. There was a tendency to lay against him at the call-over last night, to which no great significance need be attached. Time Step has not been over-noticed at any call-over, but the S.P. office-keepers have been kept busy writing his name.

Discarding Aldine

Only two aged horses have won the Lincolnshire—Vulcan in 1871 and Vestminster two years later. That is as good a reason as any other for rejecting the claims of Aldine to be first, though Coulthwaite has the seven-year-old so well that he might run into a place from his favourable position in the handicap. He was fourth last year with 2lb. more in a rather better-class field.

Boomps-a-Daisy, of whom the Northerners bring favourable accounts, has a lot of weight, but another from the North who is understood to be genuinely fancied is the lightly-weighted Uncle Archie, a winner over a mile and second over a mile and a half to the Cesarewitch winner, Cantatrice II., last season. I had hopes of recommending this one as a long-shot outsider, but he was backed at the call-over last night. His trainer, Harry Peacock, has already two Lincoln winners to his credit.

The "Dark Horse"

Ticca Gari is trained on the South coast, where conditions have been a little milder than elsewhere, and the Duchess of Norfolk's grey is fit enough if he can get the distance.

Rosetown had his chance last year and could not take it, while it would be almost astounding were Squadron Castle to win again. It may be too early in the season for Golden Sovereign. The "dark horse" of the race is a six-year-old mare, Fioretti, who has raced in Egypt, as well as in France, and not without a certain emolument. Digby has been training her away out on deserted Choke Jade, which is nearer to his stables than the more frequented parts of Newmarket Heath. Nothing can be gathered from her public performances in England, as she has had only had the statutory three runs, twice with 8st 7lb., to qualify her for a place in the handicap.

Fittest Will Be Best

It is a bad Lincolnshire, and in all probability the fittest horse will be the best horse. The fittest batch may be Quartier Maitre, Wonersh, Time Step, Aldine and Uncle Archie. In the pursuit of the elusive winner,

TIME STEP

is taken, with a strong recommendation for a saving bet on Quartier Maitre. Uncle Archie is suggested for the remaining place. Probably Uncle Archie will be a well-backed candidate, for the North country horses have been in great form this afternoon—first and third in the Brocklesby and first and second in the most valuable race of the day, the Yarborough Plate.

GALTEE MORE.

ROYAL MAIL INJURED

Royal Mail strained a ligament during a training gallop yesterday, and will not be able to contest the Grand National on Friday.

TITAN GETS THE VOTE

Punt Gun Best Outsider for the "Lincolnshire"

TWENTY-ONE runners are expected to face the starter for the Lincolnshire Handicap to-day. I regard Titan as being the best proposition the race affords. This colt proved that he has the necessary speed for such a race when he defeated Linklater and Dartside over six furlongs at Manchester in November, and he showed his ability to stay a longer distance when he ran third to Foletta and Impress over the Royal Hunt Cup course at Ascot.

Quartier-Maitre carried the big weight of 9st. 7lb. when he was beaten by Orichalque in Class II. of the Cambridgeshire at Newmarket last October, and that race, run over the Bunbury Mile, showed that Quartier-Maitre has the good combination of speed and stamina. Wonersh is fit from hurdle racing. He won three races over sprint courses in Ireland last year, and showed his ability to stay the "Lincoln" distance when he defeated Æthon and Gulliver over one mile at Sandown in July.

Boomps-a-Daisy is strongly fancied in the North. He has inherited a good turn of speed from his sire, Mr. Jinks, and has shown that he can stay a mile at top speed. Squadron Castle won the corresponding event last year from Halcyon Gift and Dark Tolly, with Aldine fourth. Squadron Castle now has to allow Aldine 5lb. for a margin of approximately two lengths. Both are fit from hurdling, and there is little to choose between them.

Punt Gun is a lightly-weighted candidate who has claims to be considered as a likely outsider. He ran a good race against Caxton over a mile at Manchester last November, and is thought to have made progress during the winter. In the final summing up I am satisfied that

TITAN

will win, and **Punt Gun** is suggested as the best each-way investment.

LINCOLN RESULTS

2.0—**STONEBOW T.Y.O. (G.) PLATE** of £144. 5 f.
Mr. V. Smyth's b. g. HAUT TON, by Touton—Headline. 8-9 ....K. Mullins 1
Mr. C. Wood's YES SIRREE, 8-9 ...T. Bartlam 2
Mr. Thornton-Smith's KNIGHT RUSE, 8-9 ....G. Richards 3
Also ran:—Charity Acquired (W. Stephenson), Christening Day (W. Nevett), Fugle Maid (T. Lowrey), Jap-lac (J. Caldwell), Brig o' Doe f. (E. Smith), Coolnargent (C. Richards). (Winner trained by V. Smyth.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. HAUT TON, 15 to 8 Yes Sirree, 11 to 2 Coolnargent, 10 to 1 each Knight Ruse and Christening Day, 100 to 8 Fugle Maid, 20 to 1 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 9/3; places, 3/6, 2/6, 9/9.
Won by three-quarters of a length; half a length. Christening Day was fourth and Jap-lac last.

2.30—**BLANKNEY (G.) PLATE** of £144. 1¼ m.
Sir C. Rye's gr. g. GINGKO, by Mr. Jinks—Garden Cart 6. 9-7 ....T. Weston 1
Mrs. C. Rich's ASHSTEAD, 4. 8-9 J. Marshall 2
Mr. Ormston's BLACK DOMINO, a. 9-7 W. Stephenson 3
Also ran:—Snipe Wood (H. Sprague), Poet's Bliss (M. Beary), Incantator (V. Mitchell), Swiftsure (H. Wragg), Dawn Fox (M. Pletts). (Winner trained by Scobie.)
Betting—100 to 30 agst. Black Domino, 7 to 2 Snipe Wood, 9 to 2 GINGKO, 5 to 1 each Poet's Bliss and Incantator, 8 to 1 Ashstead, 20 to 1 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 9/9; places, 3/-, 3/6, 2/9.
Won by half a length; a neck. Snipe Wood was fourth and Dawn Fox last.

3.0—**YARBOROUGH HANDICAP** of £392. 5 f.
Mr. W. Hudson's b. g. GHAR ULLIN, by Apple Sammy—Markaway, 6, 8-11 .....J. Caldwell 1
Mr. W. Shakespeare's SWIFT ARROW, a., 8-8 G. Richards 2
Miss Meacham's CARNIVAL BOY, 6, 9-2 ....J. Simpson 3
Also ran—Monmouth (P. Beasley), Arriba Espana (R. Perryman), Mixture (S. Wragg), Monty (H. Wragg), Battling Jean (J. Taylor), Kilndown (R. Smith), Lovely Samphire (T. P. Burns). (Winner trained by Hammett.)
Betting—100 to 30 agst. Mixture, 7 to 2 Monty, 6 to 1 Swift Arrow, 8 to 1 each GHAR ULLIN, Arriba Espana and Kilndown, 100 to 8 Battling Jean, 100 to 6 Carnival Boy, 20 to 1 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 17/6; places, 6/3, 9/-, 16/6.
Won by a short head; two lengths. Kilndown fourth, Monty last.

3.30—**NORTHERN WELTER HANDICAP** of £134. 1 m. 3 f.
Mr. J. Ismay's ch. g. DOTO, by Sunny Trace—Princess (Galahad), 5, 8-2 .....Y. Mitchell 1
Capt. C. F. Elsey's b. c. MUSQUE ROBIN, by Manna—Beata, 4, 8-0 .....W. Nevett 2
Mr. Poskitt's KILNAGLORY, 5, 9-11 (car. 8-0) T. Weston 3
Also ran—Fernleburst (R. Smith), Attachment (G. Richards), Dreaming (R. Perryman), Boc (D. McGuigan), Lincolnshire (W. Stephenson), Snowcap (D. Smith), Wintry Day (J. Woodcock), Gossips' Joy (E. Mullins), Bruce (J. Dyson). (Doto trained by Smallwood; Musque Robin by Dwyer.)
Betting—9 to 2 agst. DOTO, 7 to 1 MUSQUE ROBIN, 8 to 1 each Attachment and Snowcap, 10 to 1 each Fernleburst, Bruce and Kilnaglory, 100 to 7 each Boc and Dreaming, 10 to 1 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, Doto 4/-, Musque Robin 5/9; places, Doto 2/9, Musque Robin 3/6, Kilnaglory 4/3.
Dead-heat; two lengths. Bruce fourth, Boc last.

4.0—**BROCKLESBY T.Y.O. STAKES** of £345. 5 f.
Mr. J. Hetherton's br. f. LIONETTA, by Cup de Lyon—Thelma, 8-2 .....W. Nevett 1
Mr. E. T. Thornton-Smith's DUCKWEED, 8-2 G. Richards 2
Mr. R. S. Clark's CONQUEROR, 8-12 J. Taylor 3
Also ran—Prinney (E. Smith), Grand Star colt (T. Lowrey), Dashing White Sergeant (Mr. Beary), Tintern Abbey (R. Perryman), Faithfut (W. Stephenson), Teamrogen filly (H. Wragg). (Winner trained by Elsey.)
Betting—5 to 2 agst. LIONETTA, 11 to 4 Dashing White Sergeant, 11 to 2 Prinney, 7 to 1 Duckweed, 8 to 1 Tintern Abbey, 100 to 6 Faithfut, 20 to 1 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 2/6; places, 2/3, 4/-, 6/9.
Won by two lengths; same. Teamrogen filly fourth, Prinney last.

4.30—**CHAPLIN THREE-Y-O. PLATE** of £129. 1 m. 3 f.
Duke of Norfolk's ch. c. BLAZING STAR, by Hyperion—Comet, 8-9 .....R. Perryman 1
Mr. R. McAlpine's PALANI, 8-9 .....M. Beary 2
Mr. R. L. Basset's DRIFTING SANDS, 8-9 P. Beasley 3
Also ran—Jeepers Creepers (H. Wragg), Truculent Teddy (J. Dyson), Greek Archer (H. Gunn). (Winner trained by Bancroft.)
Betting—5 to 4 agst. Jeepers Creepers, 5 to 1 BLAZING STAR, 8 to 1 Palani, 11 to 2 Drifting Sands, 20 to 1 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 5/3; places, 2/6, 3/6.
Won by a short head; three lengths. Truculent Teddy fourth. Jeepers Creepers last.
TOTE DOUBLE (10/- stake)—Ghar Ullin and Lionetta—Dividend, £13 5/-; pool, £518 10/- 35 winning tickets.

POINT-TO-POINT

KILCORMAC HARRIERS

The Kilcormac Harriers' Point-to-Point was held yesterday at Ballinacard, Mgr. By her victory with Alasan in the Harriers' Cup, Mrs. E. A. Gargan won the trophy outright.

FARMERS' RACE—Mr. E. Coffey's MYLES THE SLASHER (Mr. J. W. Geary), 1; Mr. M. Moore's HIGHT-DH (Mr. E. O'Donnell), 2; Miss M. Egan's STAR DEMIN (Owner), 3. Also ran—Hakoba and Sweet Adeline.

MAIDEN RACE—Captain T. A. Gargan's CULLEN'S AUTOR (Mr. E. Byrne), 1; Mr. O. A. Dale's ARDEN BOY (Owner), 2. Also ran—Two Drops and Suspicious.

EGAN CHALLENGE CUP—Mr. J. V. Rank's SLACKER (Mr. V. Willis), 1; Mr. M. Fogarty's SIGNAL HILL (Mr. A. Boyle), 2; Mr. J. Reid's THE NIPPER (Mr. W. V. Rank Jun.), 3. Also ran—Makoba.

BALLINAGARRY CHALLENGE CUP—Mr. John Brennan's CLONEYBEGGAN LASS (Mr. A. S. O'Donnell), 1; Mr. C. J. Fox's ARMGROVE (Mr. J. Geary), 2; Mr. J. Bannon's FOXTILL WENDY (Mr. J. Cullen), 3.

KILCORMAC HARRIERS' CHALLENGE CUP—Mrs. J. A. Gargan's ALASAN (Mr. E. Byrne), 1; Mr. M. Moore's HIGHT-DH (Mr. E. O'Donnell), 2; Mr. H. Rae's GINGER BOY (Mr. J. McCutcheon), 3. Also ran—Rosebud II., Mulcaire Boy, Don as Gets, Lucky Shoe.

WILLIAMS CHALLENGE CUP—Mrs. M. McDonnell's WARREN LAD (Miss E. Byrne), 1; Miss E. Ringwood's NELLIE, 2. Also ran—Jacky's Girl.

DOWNPATRICK TO-DAY

Magnum II. and Clatterbox May Win for Mr. E. Delany

Train—Amiens street, 9.0.

RACING at Downpatrick is always enjoyable, and, although only five races appear on to-day's card, there is every indication of good sport being provided. The course is almost unique in its nature, being of the switch-back type, and it is only the stoutest of horses that can face the testing climb to the winning-post. Most of the races are confined to local horses, but the Stewards' Plate and the Downshire Plate are both open handicaps. The latter, which is the chief event, will bring into opposition some useful horses, but Drumbilla will not be among the number. In his absence Magnum II. may be best to stand. Mr. E. Delany looks to hold a good chance of also winning the Stewards' Plate with the lightly-weighted Clatterbox. Selections:—

Benburb Cup—**Stickit.**
Stewards' Plate—**Clatterbox.**
Downshire Plate—**Magnum II.**
Co. Down Hunts' Cup—**Dramara III.**
Farmers' Cup—**Bungoola.**

2.30—BENBURB CUP, value 30 sovs. (presented by Captain and Mrs. D. C. Lindsay), with 65 sovs. added. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A steeplechase for Irish-trained certified hunters the bona-fide property of members of any established Hunt in Northern Ireland or of farmers residing in Northern Ireland. 3m. Age st. lb.
LATE AGAIN (Mr. J. Bamber) ...Owner a 12 3
MARLFIELD (Mr. J. Bamber) ...Owner a 12 3
HALLOWVEIN (Mr. W. M. Cameron) Owner 6 12 3
BALTRASNA (Mr. P. McCartan) Owner a 12 3
STICKIT (Mr. J. M. McKee) ...Owner a 12 3
BAROCCOBLUE (Mr. H. R. McIlroy) Owner a 12 3
PRINCE HAWK (Mr. R. Moore) Owner a 12 3
TOPRAIL (10lb.) (Mr. W. M. Thompson) Owner a 12 3
BAY FALLOCH (5lb.) (Mr. A. D. Turner) .....Turner a 11 12
DROMARA III. (5lb.) (Miss E. Wilson) Wilson a 11 12
DROMART (5lb.) (Miss E. Wilson) Wilson a 11 12
MIDNIGHT CALL (10lb.) (Mr. A. Murdoch) .....Owner a 11 7
Above are declared runners.

03 MARLFIELD. See Prince Hawk.
00 HALLOWVEIN. Unplaced with 12-7 to Corn Prince (11-12) Fairyhouse (3m. 2f. chase).
32 STICKIT. See Prince Hawk. Carried 11-5 when beaten 4l., 2l. by Toprail (12-3) and Twilight II. (11-12), Downpatrick May (2m. 5f. chase).
30 BAROCCOBLUE. See Prince Hawk. Carried 11-10 when beaten 4l., 3l. by Sang (11-10) and Blarney (11-12), Downpatrick May (3m. chase).
1 PRINCE HAWK. Carried 11-9 when winning 3l., 2l. from Stickit (11-5) and Marlfield (11-5), Mase March (3m. chase). Toprail (11-13) and Baroccoblue (11-8) were unplaced. Bay Falloch (11-5) fell.
10 TOPRAIL. See Prince Hawk and Stickit.
02 DROMARA III. Carried 11-9 when beaten 6l. by Sang (11-6). Mase March (2m. hurdles).
0 MIDNIGHT CALL. Unplaced with 11-9 to Tasty Navy (11-9), Mase March (2m. chase).

3.0—STEWARDS' PLATE of 65 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A selling handicap steeplechase. Winner to be sold for 100 sovs. 2m. Age st. lb.
KILGLASS (Mr. W. J. Kelly) .....Walker 6 10 7
MOLLISON'S MOTH (Mr. J. H. Hughes) Morrow a 10 6
GOOSIE GANDER (Mr. J. P. McAuley) Banahan a 10 0
DERBY LAD (Mr. W. Grainger) ...Owner 6 9 13
SISTER SAL (Mr. T. Morrow) Sleator, junior a 9 12
LADY ADELE (Mr. J. Steen) .....Lenehan 5 9 7
CLATTERBOX (Mr. E. Delany) .....Owner a 9 7
TOPPY (Mr. J. Grier) .....Owner a 9 7
Above are declared runners.

20 KILGLASS. Fell at Limerick Dec. (chase). Carried 10-3 when beaten 3l. by Shrarmore (11-5), Powerstown Sept. (2m. 2f. chase).
44 MOLLISON'S MOTH. Carried 9-13 when fourth of 5 to Clonbugh (10-8). Louth Hunt March (2m. 7f. chase). Carried 9-13 when fourth of 9 to Champion (11-7), Mase March (2½m. chase). Derby Lad (9-13) was sixth.
42 GOOSIE GANDER. Carried 11-9 when beaten 4l. by Solide (11-4), Navan Feb. (2m. chase). Sister Sal (11-9) was fifth of 13. Carried 12-2 when fourth of 12 to Sir Ben (11-7), Baldoyle Jan. (2m. 1f. 70yds. chase). Lady Adele (11-7) was behind.
00 DERBY LAD. See Mollison's Moth.
00 SISTER SAL. See Goosie Gander.
02 LADY ADELE. Carried 9-11 when beaten neck by Gorgia (11-5). Tramore March (2m. chase). See Mollison's Moth.
00 CLATTERBOX. Unplaced with 10-0 to Lucky Thoughts (10-8), Navan Feb. (2m. hurdles).
00 TOPPY. Unplaced with 9-7 to Avalea (9-13), Leopardstown Jan. (1½m. hurdles).

3.30—DOWNSHIRE PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 15 sovs., third 10 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2½m. Age st. lb.
BOONARA (Mr. G. Plaworth) Sleator, junior 6 10 10
MOLLISON'S MOTH (Mr. J. H. Hughes) Morrow a 10 8
MAGNUM II. (Mr. E. Delany) .....Owner a 10 5
ARDEBIS (Mr. J. M. McKee) ...Brabazon 6 10 4
NAUGHTY MARIETTA (Mr. J. P. McAuley) .....Banahan a 10 1
STRANGER (Mr. T. J. Teaffe) .....Owner 6 10 0
Above are declared runners.

00 BOONARA. Unplaced with 9-9 to Avalea (9-13) Leopardstown Jan. (1½m. hurdles). Carried 10-7 when fifth of 16 to Mr. Freeser (10-11) Leopardstown Dec. (1½m. hurdles).
44 MOLLISON'S MOTH. See Stewards' Plate.
35 MAGNUM II. Carried 9-11 when beaten 2l., 6l., by Amice (9-3) and Irish Blarney (12-0) Baldoyle March (2m. 1f. 70yds. chase).
00 ARDEBIS. Unplaced with 11-9 to Somerwick's Nephew (11-4) Naas Feb. (2m. 40yds. chase).
00 NAUGHTY MARIETTA. Unplaced with 11-9 to Sircharge (10-5) Baldoyle March (2m. 2f. chase).
43 STRANGER. Carried 9-2 when beaten neck, bad, by Swindon Lad (10-4) and Irish Wit (10-12) Louth Hunt March (2m. 1f. chase).

4.0—COUNTY DOWN HUNTS' CUP, value 30 sovs. (presented by the late Major Daniel Dixon), with 65 sovs. added. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A Steeplechase for Irish-trained certified hunters. 2m. 5f. Age st. lb.
TOPRAIL (Mr. W. M. Thompson) Owner a 12 6
COTTOWN ROSE (Mr. W. J. Murdock) Turner a 12 3
MARLFIELD (Mr. J. Bamber) ...Owner a 11 10
JUNGLE LASS (Mr. T. M. Bashan) Owner a 11 10
BARON STOLZENFELS (Mr. W. Noble) Owner a 11 10
BOBIDIL (Mr. J. Turner) .....Owner a 11 10
DROMARA III. (Miss E. Wilson) ...Owner a 11 10
DROMART (Miss E. Wilson) .....Wilson a 11 10
GAYBOY VII. (Capt. J. M. Blakiston-Houston) .....Owner 6 11 10
HALLOWVEIN (Mr. W. M. Cameron) Owner 6 11 10
QUEENSWAY (Mr. H. Forbes) ...Owner a 11 10
MARY YOUNG (Mr. J. B. Megahey) Owner 5 11 3
Above are declared runners.

10 TOPRAIL. See Marlfield.
9 COTTOWN ROSE. Carried 11-12 when beaten 2½l. by Twilight II. (11-12) Downpatrick March 1939 (3m. chase).
03 MARLFIELD. Carried 11-5 when beaten 3l., 2l., by Prince Hawk (11-9) and Stickit (11-5) Mase March (3m. chase). Toprail (11-13) was unplaced.
00 BARON STOLZENFELS. Unplaced with 12-4 to Rapparee II. (12-3) Fairyhouse April, 1939 (3m. chase).
0 BOBIDIL. See Dromara III.
02 DROMARA III. Carried 11-9 when beaten 6l. by Sarawaki (12-0), with Mary Young (11-7) 1½l. behind. Mase Maren (2m. hurdles). Bobidil (11-9) was fifth of 13 and Queensway (11-12) and Gypsy VII. (11-9) behind.
0 GAYBOY VII. See Dromara III.
00 HALLOWVEIN. See Benburb Cup.
00 QUEENSWAY. See Dromara III.
35 MARY YOUNG. Carried 10-0 when beaten 40l., head, by Fairymount (11-11) and Ballinakill (11-11) Louth Hunt March (2m. chase). See Dromara III.

4.30—FARMERS' CUP value 30 sovs. (presented by Sir Thomas Dixon, Bart., D.L., H.M.L.), with 50 sovs. added. Second 5 sovs., third 3 sovs. A maiden steeplechase for horses the property of Northern Ireland farmers. 2m. Age st. lb.
MOONLIGHT EARL (Mr. J. Barron) Owner a 11 10
BUNGOOLA (Mr. E. Fitzsimons) ...Owner a 11 10
RAN'S NEST (Mr. W. J. Girvan, Jun.) Owner a 11 10
NELLIE THE SIXTH (Mr. W. J. Girvan, Jun.) .....Owner a 11 10
ROSEMARY II. (Mr. B. McNabb) ...Owner a 11 10
GOLDEN CHARM II. (Mr. S. McNeilly) Owner a 11 10
MIDNIGHT CALL (Mr. A. Murdoch) Owner a 11 10
LADY ELEANOR (Mr. A. Murdoch) Owner 6 11 10
THE MISER (Mr. A. Sterling) .....Owner 6 11 10
ROSE MARIE III. (Mr. R. Still) ...Owner 6 11 10
CLONDEE (Mr. J. Wood) .....Owner a 11 10
Above are declared runners.

30 MOONLIGHT EARL. See Bungoola. Carried 11-5 when beaten ½l., 3l. by Lady Cashmond (11-5) and Tasty Navvy (11-6) Downpatrick May (2m. chase).
02 BUNGOOLA. Carried 11-8 when beaten 3l. by Tasty Navvy (11-9) with Clondee (12-0) 6l. behind. Mase March (2m. chase). The Miser (12-7) was fourth of 13. Rosemary II. (11-12) fifth, Golden Charm II. (11-9) sixth, and Midnight Call (11-9) behind. Rose Marie III. (11-9) did not finish. Moonlight Earl (12-0) fell.
0 ROSEMARY II. See Bungoola.
00 GOLDEN CHARM II. See Bungoola.
0 MIDNIGHT CALL. See Bungoola.
0 LADY ELEANOR. Unplaced with 11-9 to Sarawaki (12-0) Mase March (2m. hurdles).
04 THE MISER. See Bungoola.
00 ROSE MARIE III. See Bungoola.
03 CLONDEE. See Bungoola.

RUGBY FOOTBALL

TRINITY WIN CUP REPLAY

UNLUCKY DEFEAT FOR BECTIVE

DUBLIN UNIV. ..... 14 BECTIVE 10

Dublin University beat Bective Rangers by 3 goals (2 penalties) and 1 try (14 points) to 2 goals (1 penalty, 1 dropped) and 1 try (10 points) in their second round Senior Cup replay at Lansdowne road, yesterday. The Trinity backs decidedly lucky victory for Bective did nearly all the attacking from start to finish, and made a great effort to recover an early deficit of eight points. Even though they lost their key back (J. J. O'Connor, through injury quite early in the second half Bective continued to put much more fire and dash into their play than their opponents, but the ball never ran kindly for them.

It was not good football, but it was better than Saturday's match, and it was made interesting by the tremendous effort of the Bective pack. Even with only seven men they played the Trinity forwards almost to a standstill, until the second penalty goal was conceded near the end. Then they began to realise that their effort had failed, and Trinity made the pace in the closing minutes. Every man of the Bective side did grand work, and it would be unfair to single out an individual. The backs got few chances, but Forde made every effort to get through, and the try was started and finished by him.

It was a day on which Trinity enjoyed all the good fortune. Their first try was a gift of the bounce of the ball, and both penalty awards were right under the posts. Roe towards tacked the fire which Bective commenced, and Carry kicked the highest standard, and the backs were handicapped by the fact that Carry had a complete off-day, dropping pass after pass. McIntyre made some strong bursts through the centre, and was about the best of the black division.

Trinity took the lead in less than five minutes. A kick ahead by Carry gave them a feeding in the second half Bective reduced their arrears. When Trinity heeled on their own line, Carry kicked straight down to McGowan, instead of finding touch, and the full-back gathered and dropped a fine goal from thirty-five yards out. That inspired Bective, and they got to within a point of their opponents when Forde kicked high ahead from a free in mid-field. Carry failed to gather, and the Bective forwards swept the ball over the line for Forde to get the touch.

In Trinity's first real attack since the interval Forde was caught off-side under his own posts, and Carry kicked the goal. Shortly afterwards McCall slipped away on the blind side, and Doyle darted over in the corner, and just on time McGowan kicked a penalty goal for Bective.

Dublin University.—P. Anderson; B. R. Doyle, S. Walsh, K. McIntyre, M. J. McGowan; J. Carry, S. W. McCall; W. Hinton, C. W. Blackall, J. O'N. Donellon, J. Slattery, W. Solomons, G. Anderson, J. B. Fitzsimons, W. D. Boyle.

Bective Rangers.—T. R. McGowan; R. Doyle, M. Forde, J. Roe, J. Ryan; J. Carry, J. O'Connor; A. Coleman, A. O'Meara, C. Pandeville, J. Vaters, P. Casey, E. O'Brien, M. J. Quane, J. Norris, J. Doyle.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURE

U.C.D. 2nd v. St. Mary's (final Metropolitan Cup), Donnybrook.

TEAM

U.C.D. 2nd—C. Nolan; F. O'Donnell, F. Boland, D. Gibson, T. Bradley; D. O'Sullivan, P. Byrne; B. Curran, D. Bell, E. Byrne, D. Deane, E. Nolan, P. O'Meara, E. Gumbrielle, C. Dolan.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS

WARD UNION HOUNDS—Meet to-day at Castor, Dunsoge Gate.

MEATH HOUNDS—April 8th, Corballon Hall. Members of Pony Club welcome. Cap for children one shilling. Paper chase on April 10th cancelled.

MEATH HARRIERS—To-day's meet at Clane is cancelled.

DUHALLOW HOUNDS—Change of Meet—To-morrow, April 4—Tarrant's Cross, 12.0.

Closing of Entries

Entries close to-day with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin, for the Ulster Grand National at Downpatrick on May 15, for five races at the Phoenix Park First May meeting, for five races at the Phoenix Park Second May meeting, and the Powerstown Park Champion Steeplechase.

GREYHOUND RACING

BACKMARKERS WIN HANDICAPS

Two of the three handicap events at Harold's Cross Park last night were won by dogs from the scratch mark. Model Joker led all the way in the Leinster Plate, and Fiallach did likewise in the Midland Hurdle. Details:—

ULSTER PLATE—QUEEN OF THE ALLOW (1), 5 to 2, 1; GLENMAHON BLONDE (2), 3 to 1, 2; JOSIE D (4) 5 to 2, 3. Also ran—Quandary (5), 5 to 1; Branch of Bilbon (3), 3 to 1; Princess Maud (6), 5 to 1. 1l.; 3l. 31.61 secs.

METROPOLITAN HURDLE—COOLCAP CHAMP (3), 6 to 1, 1; SOOTY BLACK (4), 2 to 1, 2; GENERAL KILDARE (6), 4 to 1, 3. Also ran—Look Brave (1), 7 to 4. ½l., 1½l. 32.46 secs.

LEINSTER HANDICAP PLATE—MODEL JOKER (2), 5 to 2, 1; FLIGHT RIGHT (12 yds.), 6 to 1, 2; PEERLESS TONY (scr.), 6 to 1, 3. Also ran—Baltray Boy (3 yds.), 5 to 2; Meadow A (6 yds.), 7 to 4; Out For Hens (9 yds.), 5 to 1. 2l.; 3l. 30.90 secs.

MUNSTER PLATE—DEVA LADY (1), 3 to 1, 1; KYLOCK HOPE (6), 4 to 1, 2; GREEN STREET MAID (3), 8 to 1, 3. Also ran—Mailin Lily (2), 5 to 1; Quintin Bella (5), 6 to 1; Deirdre's Love (4), 6 to 1. Distance; 1½l. 30.65 secs.

MIDLAND HANDICAP HURDLE—FIALLACH (scr.), 5 to 2, 1; FLAG OF GAINE (3 yds.), 9 to 4, 2; WHITE WYANDOTTE (scr.), 3 to 1, 3. Also ran—Mitchell's Black (6 yds.), 5 to 2; Tonjours Pres (12 yds.), 6 to 1 (fell). 8l.; 4l. 32.19 secs.

SPRINT PLAT—PALAIS GLIDE (3), 7 to 2, 1; BELGRAVIAN LASS (5), evens, 2; HEDGE A MIX (2), 5 to 2, 3. Also ran—Fine Virtue (4), 4 to 1; Mention It (8), 5 to 1. 2l.; 3l. 30.45 secs.

LIFFEY HANDICAP PLATE—STAR (6 yds.), 2 to 1, 1; ROSE OF ALLEN (12 yds.), 6 to 1, 2; KINGSFIELD LAD (scr.), 6 to 1, 3. Also ran—Fortune's Hero (scr.), 3 to 1; Irish Neal (3 yds.), 6 to 1; No Taste (9 yds.), 6 to 4. 4l.; 5l. 31.10 secs.

SHELBOURNE PARK—TO-NIGHT

6.15 (525 YARDS).—Booster Generator, Keenies Destiny, Trade Expert, Model Leader, Light of Dee, Van Bruger, Moulin Prince, High Flown.

6.30 (550 YARDS).—Wireless Raven, Kyle Hill, Quaker's Hat, Third Party, Pride of Allen, Moon Banker, Feather Bruce.

6.45 (525 YARDS).—Kilders Prince, Keep Tribbling, White and Blue Bob, Negro's Dawn, Young Gedlivs, Special Hope, Hollywood Ranger, Knocks's Ratlin.

7.0 (525 YARDS HURDLES).—Bashful Brint, Lancaster Gate, Table Cut, Jazz Turn, Buzzaway Kilty, Ringo's Cap.

7.15 (525 YARDS, EASTER CUP TRIAL).—Blanchardstown Prince, Light Hope, Surprised Hill, Precious Brilliance, Singing Drake, Ribbon Fly, Silvers Sandile, High Jacker.

7.30 (EASTER CUP TRIAL).—Kingsway, Ballina Boy, Councillor Conway, Bob, Nick's Speed, Ankle Dock, Sunset Mark, Rose-a Trump.

7.45 (525 YARDS).—Speed Up Bruce, Ocean Craft, Marvellous Quiet, Fury Godmother, Kylock Starlight, Retreat O' Moy, Ferocious Rebel, Gleaner Gap.

HOCKEY

PEMBROKE WANDERERS

Club fixture for Saturday—3rd XI. v. Bray Rovers (intermediate League); Serpentine Avenue, 3.0.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES

Y.M.C.A. v. Corinthians; Claremont road, 6.0.
Y.M.C.A. 4th v. Cartonians; Claremont road, 7.0.
Railway Union A. v. Dublin University "A"; Railway Union Park, Donnybrook, 3.0.

TEAMS

Y.M.C.A.—A. T. Worrall; C. E. Collis, J. Cattle; G. Hunter, V. Sanderson; G. Bates, J. C. Williams, C. Toller, J. Jones, W. Fry, C. McDonnell.

Y.M.C.A. 4th.—H. Bassington; E. Rumball, M. Marshall; E. Hill, S. Irons, I. Quill, C. Stewart, J. Bestlemione, G. Henry, J. O'Byrne, J. Richardson.

Corinthians.—G. Lockridge; C. Gibson, R. Felton; D. Curnow (capt.), J. Bennett, W. Lindsay; R. L. Franklin, J. M. Shaw, F. M. O'Keefe, A. W. King, J. Cubis (white shirts).

Dublin University "A".—B. Mekinnon; N. H. Stewart, W. Le Blanc; J. R. Dunlop, D. Lush, G. Kennedy; J. E. Adamson (capt.), M. McGilligan, J. V. Lees, T. G. Barbour, A. Fitzgerald.

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MAIN ST., RATHFARNHAM
206 HAROLD'S CROSS ROAD
177 KIMMAGE ROAD
99 CRUMLIN ROAD
87 FRANCIS STREET
88 PHIBSBORO' ROAD
MAIN ST., BLESSINGTON
14 YORK STREET
169 PEARSE STREET
17 SACKVILLE LANE

Winning Bets Paid at any City Branch on Production of Ticket or Voucher

Commissions by Letter Received Morning of Race Given Starting Price

LINCOLN PROGRAMME

1.30—JOHN O' GAUNT SELLING PLATE (a high-weight handicap) of 150 sovs. 1¼ m. Age st. lb.
ATTACHMENT (Mr. H. Morris) Renton 5 9 9
BOLO (10lb. ex. (Mr. J. Ismay) Smallwood 5 9 6
BALLINAHOWN (Miss Paget) W. Nightingall 4 9 5
OLD PROFESSOR (Mr. Gordon) Easterby 5 8 12
LADY LIQUEUR (Mr. A. J. Redman) Dines 5 8 10
ROYAL FRIEZE (Capt. J. C. Storie) Storie 5 8 10
BUSHMASTER II. (Col. Lundgren) G. Armstrong 4 8 9
VERINKA (Miss Paget) W. Nightingall 4 8 9
GLEN DILLY (Mr. J. Smyth) Smyth 4 8 9
DAWN FOX (Mrs. J. Russell) J. Russell 4 8 9
UP TO DATE (Mr. H. Poskitt) Poskitt 5 8 8
TELAMON (Mr. J. M. Maiden) G. Todd 4 8 8
EUCLID II. (Mr. J. J. Liley) Liley 6 8 7
POETS BLISS (Mr. J. Smyth) J. Smyth 5 8 7
ANNAN (Capt. E. Brook) F. Armstrong

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE

4 P.C. EXCHEQUER BONDS STRONG

ACTIVE MARKET IN GUINNESS

Public interest on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday was of slightly broader dimensions and markets presented a bright appearance. Good support was in evidence in most directions and consequently price movements generally favoured holders.

The feature of Home Government Funds was the strong buying of 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds, which brought about a sharp advance of 10s. to 103¼. Otherwise the market was quiet and the Fourth National Loan and 4 p.c. Conversion Loan both fell 10s. and Financial Agreement Loan slipped back to 97½. War Loan made good headway to 99½ and Savings Bonds were well maintained, apart from Hibernians, which shaded off to 9½.

Guinness units were in keen demand all day and after heavy dealings finished piece higher at 78s. 7½. Rails remained quiet, but Great Southern Deb. firmed up to 52½.

Solus "A" Ord. jumped 2s. 2d. at 23s. and Independent Pref. advanced to 28s., while Irish-American Oil Pref. hardened to 19s. 9d. The rest of the Irish Industrial market presented a steady appearance.

British Industrials continued cheerful. A.T. Ord. repeated 103s. 6d. and Imperial Tobaccos moved up to 117s. Courtaulds hurried 1s. 3d. to 38s. 6d., but Coats Ord. were still hovering around 37s. 10½d.

Imperial Chemical Ord rose pence to 24s. 10½d. and Shell Transport Ord. firmed up to 79s. Woolworth Ord. quoted 65s. 1½d. and Ever Ready (Great Britain) Ord. 26s. 4½d.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

GOVERNMENT FUNDS.

4½% 3rd Nat. Loan (under £2C0)	103¾ 103¾
3½% Fourth Loan	(94½) 94
4% Conversion Loan	(101½) 101
Do. (under £200)	(101½) 100¾
3¾% Financial Agreement	(97½) 97⅝
4% Exchequer Bonds	(103¼) 103¼
4½% Land Bonds	(111½) 111½
Do. (under £200)	(111¼) 111¼
Do. Bonds	(99¼) 99¼
Do. (under £200)	(99) 99

BRITISH FUNDS.

4½% War Loan	(98 15/16) 99 1/16
Do. Deed	(98 11/16) 99 1/16
Do. (under £200)	(98 7/16) 98 15/16
Guar. 2¾% 1933 Stock	(81 1/16) 81½

CORPORATION STOCKS.

Dublin 4½% 1955/75	(101) 101a

BANKS

Bank of Ireland	(269½) *269½
Hibernian	(9¼) 9½
National	(41/-) —
Provincial (Old)	(41/6) *41/6

breweries and distilleries.

Guinness Ord.	(78/1½) *78/- 78/6 78/7½ *78/9 78/- 78/9 78/7½
Do. Pref.	(14) 13/3b 14/4a

TELEGRAPHS.

Cable and Wireless Pref.	(94¾) *94½

RAILS, TRAMS, ETC

Great Southern Deb.	(52) 52½
L.M.S. 4% Pref.	(63½) 64¼
Dublin Tram 5% 2nd Deb.	(100) *100

GAS.

Alliance Gas Ord.	(22/6) 22/6b

IRISH INDUSTRIALS.

Brooks Thomas Ord.	(37/-) 37/-
Do. Pref.	(19/6) 19/6
Cement Ord.	(26/-) 26/-
Do. Deb.	(105½) *105½
Hammond Lane Ord.	(34/-) *34/-
Independent Pref.	(27/3) 28/-
Irish-American Oil Pref.	(19/7½) *19/9
Irish Sugar Pref.	(20/3) *20/3
May Roberts (Ireland) Pref.	(20/8) 20/7½
Millar (A.) Pref.	(15/6) 15/6
Pollicoff (I.F.S.) Ord.	(3/6) 3/6
Solus "A" Ord.	(26/10) *29/-
Do. "B" Ord.	(28/3) 28/3

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS.

B.A.T. Ord.	(102/3) *103/6
British Celanese Ord.	*3/6
Coats (J. and P.) Ord.	(37/3) 37/6b 38/3a
Do. "A" Pref.	(28/6) 28/6
Courtaulds Ord.	(37/-) 38/3 *38/6
Dunlop Rubbers	(33/6) 33/6b 34/3a
Ever Ready (Great Britain) Ord.	26/4½
Imperial Chemical Ord.	(24/7½) *24/10½
Imperial Tobacco Ord.	(115/9) 117/-
Patons and Baldwins Ord.	(59/3) 59/-
Shell Transport Ord.	(79/-) 79/-
Woolworth Ord.	(64/3) 65/3 *65/1½

* Odd lot. a asked. b bid. c cash.
(Previous prices are given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Irish Banks' Rate (changed October 26, 1939) ..... 3 %
Loans on Government Stocks transferred 3½%
Deposits under £2,000 ..... 1 %
Deposits of £2,000 and over 1½%
The rates in the foregoing table are subject to variation.

BELFAST EXCHANGE

Three and a half per cent. War Loan, 99½, ⅛. ⅛; Local Loans 3 per cent., 85⅛; Conversion 3½ per cent. Loan, 98¾; Westminster Bank (Partly), 77s. 3d.; Harland and Wolff "B," 14s. 6d.; Vulcanite Ord., 15s.; A. and S. Henrys, 10s. 6½d.; Dunlop Rubber Ord., 33s. 7½d.; Shell Transport Second 7 per cent. Pref., 31s. 7½d.

CORK EXCHANGE

Second National Loan, 107½; Third National Loan, 103½; 4 per cent. Conversion Loan, 101; 4½ per cent. Land Bonds, 111½; 4½ per cent. New Land Bonds, 103½; 4 per cent. Land Bonds, 99; War Loan, 99⅛; Bank Stock, 269½; Nationals, 41s.; Provincials (Old), 41s. 6d.; Munsters, 105s. 6d.; Cork Corporation 1937 and 1938 Stock, sellers 94; Gouldings Buildings (Cork), sellers 38; Cork Gas, buyers 7½; Gouldings Ord., buyers 24s., sellers 25s.; Guinness Ord., 78s., 78s. 3d.; Irish-American Oil Pref., 19s. 9d.; Irish Sugar Pref., 20s. 3d.

NEW COMPANIES

The following new private companies have been registered:—

Benbulben Barytes, Ltd.—Nominal capital, £10,000. To acquire certain concessions in Eire for the quarrying and mining of barytes and other minerals, etc. First directors: M. Connolly, Stephen H. Derham, Ben. Maguire, T.D.; F. O'Beirne, B. Rawson, and J. J. Walsh.

Classic Skating Rink, Ltd.—Nominal capital, £3,000. First directors: J. G. McEntagart, Dunfirth, Rathfarnham; H. P. McEntagart, 36 Herbert Park, Dublin; F. de Vere Huut, Albert House, Ballsbridge, Dublin.

Cowan Bros., Ltd.—Nominal capital, £4,500. To acquire the business of wholesale watchmakers and jewellers, manufacturers' agents, fancy goods importers, etc., carried on by Benjamin A. Tabbush at 30 South King street and 43 South William street, Dublin.

LEGAL TENDER NOTE FUND

The amount of legal tender notes outstanding on March 30 was £11,685,043 10s., as compared with £11,553,302 on March 23. The amount issued during the week was £279,197, and the amount redeemed £146,555 10s.

BRITAIN'S DEFENCE BILL

Sir John Simon, British Chancellor of the Exchequer in the House of Commons yesterday, stated that the expenditure on defence, including civil defence, between April 1, 1939, and August 31, 1939, amounted to approximately £22,000,000. Asked if there was any truth in the rumour that he was going to make an attack on the £5 to £12 a week man in the Budget, he replied that there was no sort of authority for any sort of statement as to the Budget proposals.

COMPANY NOTICES.

THE IRISH DUNLOP COMPANY, LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given that the Transfer Registers of the reference Shares of this Company will be Closed from Thursday, 4th day of April, 1940, to Saturday, 13th day of April, 1940, both days inclusive.

P. J. GILMORE, Secretary.

3rd April, 1940.
Dunlop House, Lower Abbey street, Dublin, C.2.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

Tuesday Night.

STOCKS AND SHARES:	
London bright.	
Dublin firmer.	
Manchester better.	
Birmingham cheerful.	
New York cautious.	
MONEY:	
Bank of England Rate	2 %
Last Year	2 %
Irish Bank Rate	3 %
Silver (spot)	20½d.
Price of Gold	168/-

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

BUYERS SHOW MORE CONFIDENCE

FURTHER INQUIRY FOR BRITISH FUNDS

TURNOVER on the London Stock markets underwent no appreciable expansion yesterday, but some good features made their appearance, and the general undertone continued distinctly cheerful, buyers showing rather more confidence than of late. Further inquiry for British Funds, under the lead of War Loan, a strong tendency in British Rails, with L.M.S. Ord. commanding particular attention, and increased activity in selected Industrials, were among the more noteworthy developments.

Encouraged by a continued inquiry for the longer dates issues, notably War Loan, Gilt-edged securities displayed an upward trend throughout the session, and finally showed numerous fresh advances. War Loan eventually was ¼ higher at 99½, and a similar gain was recorded by Conversion 3½ per cent. at 98¾. Old Consols, Local Loans and National Defence Bonds 2½ per cent. all finished ¼ to the good, whilst I.F.S. 4½ per cent. Land Bonds spurted to 111¼.

The Foreign section supplied no particular feature, and Brazilian Bonds were not much affected by the completion of arrangements for resuming payments, several being quoted ex dividend. Far Easterns found little fresh support. Exceptionally, Chinese 5 per cent. of 1913 dropped a point to 36. Europeans were neglected.

Business in British Rails left room for considerable improvement, but persistent support for L.M.S. Ord. imparted firmness to the whole market, though a late reaction took one or two issues below their opening levels. With the exception of a rise of ¼ to 23¼ in L.M.S., movements in balance were small. Outstanding among Foreign Rails was a revival of interest in San Paulo Ord. and the price jumped from 41½ to 43½. Argentines were seldom altered.

The chief feature among Industrials was a sharp rise in United Molasses, following the cash bonus announcement, but a fair amount of interest was shown in other leading counters, and the market as a whole gave a good account of itself.

Trans-Atlantics fell back, in sympathy with Wall street.

Mines were less active after their recent improvement, but, while the fact that the March returns are based on the old gold price caused some disappointment, Kaffirs managed to preserve a firm appearance.

INDUSTRIALS, OILS AND RUBBERS

SPURT IN MOLASSES ON BONUS DECISION

Although business in Industrials was once more of a specialised rather than of a general character, the more confident tone of the preceding day continued in evidence. United Molasses provided a strong feature as a result of the announcement of a tax-free cash bonus, which came as a surprise to the market. After spurting from 27s. to 28s. 3d., the price was finally 10½d. up at 27s. 10½d.

Textiles were once more prominent under the lead of Courtaulds, further good buying of which took the price up another 9d. to 38s. 6d. Lancashire Cottons were again in request on favourable dividend anticipations, the price further rising to 23s. 9d.

Trans-Atlantics generally reflected the overnight's dullness in New York. Apart from Courtaulds, other firm spots among Textiles included Bleachers, Bradford Dyers, Fine Cotton Spinners and British Cotton. Coats, however, left off slightly easier at 37s. 9d.

Aircrafts, although quiet, were quite firm, with higher prices quoted for Bristols and Parnalls. Among Motors, Rolls Royce lost ⅛r, but Fords rose 6d. Breweries made an irregular showing. Guinness advanced 1s. and gains of 6d. were marked in Barclay Perkins, Benskins and Distillers, but Charringtons and Mitchells and Butlers left off easier. Tobaccos also showed irregular price movements, for while "Bats" advanced ⅛r, "Imps" and Godfrey Phillips were down to this extent.

VICKERS EASIER

A small business in Iron, Coal and Steel shares resulted in only a few slight and irregular price changes. Vickers were the turn easier, but Harland and Wolff received support and finished 3d. to the good. Stores shares were quiet, with Woolworths unchanged at 65s. Elsewhere Amalgamated Metals were firm on the dividend announcement, the price rising 9d. to 21s. 9d.

Imperial Chemicals gained 4½d. and Lever and Unilever hardened 3d., while Associated Portland Cement put on ⅛r, but British Aluminium and British Match both shed 3d.

Apart from "Shells," of which there were a few small sellers in the market, causing the price to weaken ⅛r to 3½r, the recognised leaders of the Oil Share market preserved a satisfactory tone. Royal Dutch improved ¼ to 32½, and Shell Unions, which were favourably influenced by the publication of the report, advanced to 81½. Mexican Eagles rose to 5s. 6d., while Canadian Eagles hardened in sympathy to 8s. 1½d. Firmness was displayed by Burmahs. Among Trinidad issues Trinidad Petroleum Developments recovered 6d. to 49s., and United British were also a firm spot, improving to 8s. 6d.

The Rubber Share market remained in a lifeless condition, despite the very satisfactory interim dividends announced recently. As a result of the lack of interest, prices were inclined to weaken, though actual losses were infrequent. In the Raw Rubber market spot closed ⅛d. higher at 11¼d. per pound.

MOTORS AND TEXTILES

BIRMINGHAM UNCERTAIN

Motors irregular. Rods buoyant at 12/3. Raleighs and Morris higher. Hydeons dropped 1s. 6d. Monotubes at 5/- and Meadows at 13/6 were both lower.

Alvis	2/4d	Morris	27/4
Austin "A"	17/6	Napiers	8/6
Austins	24/-	Rabeiges	21/3
Dunlops	34/-	Rolls	31/3
Enfields	12/4½	Rovers	24/9
Guys	17/6	Standards	11/3
Humbers	11/6	Triumphs	16/-
Leylands	75/-	Triplex	24/9
Lucas	37/6		

MANCHESTER BETTER

Several minor price advances in Textiles at Manchester.

Bleachers	2/3 3/9	Cottons	21/6 23/9
Dyers	5/6 6/-	Velvets	8/3 9/3
Hickoes	5/6 5/9	Spinners	5/9 6/-
Calicos	6/6 7/-	Rayons	10/- 10/6
Cents	2/6 2/7½	Twists and Yarns	
Contexts	22/6 24/6		
Prints	22/6 24/3	Wall Paper Ord.	18/- 18/-

LONDON CLOSING PRICES

* Ex div. † Ex rights. § Cum div. ‡ Ex bonus.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

	Closing.	Rise or fall.
Consols 2½%	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. ¾%	107⅞	108
3½% War Loan	99¼	99½
Funding Loan	109¾	110
Victory Bonds	109¾	110
3% Conversion Loan	100⅞	101⅛
4% Do.	98¼	98½
4½% Do.	101 15/16	102 1/16
5% War Loan	102⅞	103⅛
3½% Local Loans	83	83
I.F.S. 4½% Land Bonds	111¼	111¼
India 3%	81½	81½
Do. 3½%	95	97
Local Loans 3%	84½	85
National Def. 2½%	99¼	100¼

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

85	Arg. Gt. W. 5% Db.	46	46
60½	B.A. Mid. 4% Deb.	65	67
6½	B.A. Gt. Southern Ord.	8	9
49	Do. 4% Deb.	65	67
58½	B.A. & Pac. 4% Db.	70	72
28	Do. Cons. 4½% Db.	43	45
8½	Buenos A. & West.	6½	7½
40½	Do. 4% Deb.	54	56
4	Canadian Pacific.	9¼	9½
63½	Do. 4% Deb.	88	89
48	Cent. Arg. 4% Deb.	65	67
50	Do. 5% Db. 1942	72	74
53½	Cord. Cro. 1st Deb.	72	74
99	Gd. Trk 4% Guar.	100	103
21½	San Paulo Ord.	42½	44½

FOREIGN STOCKS.

Aug. 31			
10½	Braz. 4% S.B. 27	19	—
16	Do. 5% Fund. 98	37½*	—
20	Chinese 4½% '28.	57	+½
21	Do. 5% 1913	36	—½
22	Czechoslovak 5% Db.	47	—1
65	Egyptian Unified	78	79
10¾	French Ls. 4%	10	—
49	German Potash	50	—
49	Japanese 4½%	54	—½
—	Brazil 5% Ex.'14	33	—½
—	Chinese 5%. '13.	36	+1

BRITISH RAILS.

Aug. 31			
52	Great Western	49	50
90	Do. 5% Pref.	99½	101½
11½	L.M.S. Ord.	23¾	24½
15½	Do. 4% Pref.	63½	65½
77½	Do. 5% Red. Pf.	91	92
38½	Do. 4% Pf. 1923	51½	53½
4	L.N.E.R. 5% Pf. Ord.	6½	7
5	Do. Def. Ord.	2¼	2¾
69½	Do. 4% Db.	80½	81½
9½	Do. 4% 2nd Pf.	19	21
127	Lon. Tran. 3% "A"	118	119
105	Do. 4½% "A".	108	111
102	Do. "B"	109	111
55	Do. "C"	43½	45
56	Southern Pf. Ord.	69	71
11¼	Do. Def. Ord.	21¼	22¼
80	Do. 5% Pref.	99½	101½

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Pennsylvania	26½	28½

BANKS.

	Bank of England	330	339
	Bank of Montreal	44	48
	Barclay "A"	9½	10
	Lloyds	50/6	51/6
	Martins £20 (£2½ paid)	7½	8½
	Midland	39½	40½
	Nat. Prov. (£5 14/- pd.)	44/9	46/6
	Standard of South Africa	13½	14
	Westminster	3 3/16	3 7/16
	Do. £4 (£1 paid)	77/0	79/0

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

6½	Bass-Ratcliff Ord.	124/6	126/6
17/6	Brewers of Van.	23/9	24/6
93/0	Distillers Ord.	66/9	67/9
93/9	Guinness Ord.	78/0	80/0
4½	Ind Coope Allsopp	71/0	73/0
60/0	Mackeson Tadcaster Pf.	48/9	49/6
—	Mitchell-Butlers	71/3	72/3

DRAPERY AND STORES.

11/6	Burton (M.) Ord.	10/9	11/9
16/6	Gamage (A. W.)	13/3	14/3
51/9	Harrods	36/9	37/6
2½%	Marks & Spcr. (5/-)	51/9	52/9
21/3	O.K. Bazaars "A"	25/0	27/6
62/6	Woolworth Ord.	64/6	65/6

ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENTS.

39/0	Assoc. El. Inds.	30/3	30/9
17/0	Crompton Parkinson	16/9	18/9
34/6	English Electric.	32/0	33/0
18/0	Ever Ready (5/-)	26/6	27/6
78/0	General Electric.	79/6	80/6
19/0	Henley's Tel. (5/-)	19/6	20/0
21/6	Siemens	22/6	23/6
—	Brit. Insl. Cables	64/6	66/6

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

29/6	City of London	26/0	27/0
39/0	County of London	37/0	38/0
23/0	Metropolitan	24/9	25/9
—	North Eastern	29/3	30/3
—	Mid. Counties	35/9	36/9

INSURANCE.

22	Alliance New	22	24
25	L. & G. Fire £2 (£1 paid)	26	28
17½	Pearl (£2)	14¾	15¼
12	Phœnix £10 (£1 p)	12¾	13¾
31	Prudential (£1)	29	30
9	Royal Exchange	7½	7¾
7½	Royal £1 (10/- p.)	7⅝	8⅛
75/6	Sun Life £1 (f.p.)	75/0	77/0
—	Sun Life £1 f.p.	6½	6½

IRON, COAL AND STEEL.

16/3	Allied Iron	4½	4½
46/0	Babcock & Wilcox	45/3	46/9
5/0	Baldwins	5/4½	5/7½
43/9	Bolsover Colliery	51/6	52/6
28/0	Brown (J.) (10/-)	32/9	33/3
26/6	B.S.A.	21/7½	22/1½
7/0	Cammell L'rd (5/-)	7/1½	7/7½
22 0½	Colville Ord. (£1)	23/6	24/0
7/4	Consett Iron	7/0	8/0
66 0	Cory (William)	86/0	87/0
27/0	Dorman, Long	24/3	25/3
66/3	Firth, Brown	66/9	71/9
23/0	Guest, Keen	25/9	26/3
25/0	Hadfields (10/-)	25/3	26/0
10/9	Pease & Partners	11/10½	12/1½
16/0	Powell Duffryn	22/0	22/6
18/3	Pressed Steel	17/0	18/0
28/6	Ruston & Hornsby	29/6	30/0
30/6	S. Durham Steel	31/3	32/3
41/6	Stavelcy	51/0	52/0
42/0	Stewarts & Lloyds Df.	47/6	47/9
2/3	Thomas (R.)	2/1½	2/7½
22/6	United Steel	23/1½	23/7½
17/4½	Vickers Ord.	19/0	19/6
—	Amal. Metal Ord.	21/3	22/5

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

15/6	Forestal Land	24/9	25/9
17/6	Hudson's Bay	24/3	25/3
23/3	Sudan Plantations	32/0	33/0

MOTORS AND AEROPLANES.

1½	Austin Motor (5/-)	16/0	17/0
8/6	Boulton Paul	7/9	8/9
16/6	Bristol Aero (10/-)	14/0	15/0
38/0	De Havilland	34/3	35/3
18/9	Fairey Aviation	14/6	15/6
16/6	Ford Motor	17/6	18/9
1½	Handley Page Pf.	11/6	13/6
15/6	Hawker Sidd. (5/-)	12/9	13/3
4½	Leyland Motors	8 1/16	8 3/16
30/6	Morris Motors	26/6	27/9
8/9	Rolls Royce	4½	4½
15/0	Standard	11/6	12/6
2½	Tilling (Thomas)	2½	2½
—	Singer Ord.	3/9	3/0

NEWSPAPERS.

15/3	Allied News Ord.	10/6	11/6
7/0	Assoc. News Def.	5/6	6/6
17/6	Daily Mail Trust	13/0	14/0
8/0	Odhams Press (4/-)	2/0	2/0
—	Do. Mirror Ord.	6/6	7/6
—	S. Pictorial Ord.	13/0	14/0

OILS.

Aug. 31.			
2½	Anglo-Iranian Ord.	23½	23½
23/3	Apex Trinidad	24/6	25/6
2½	Attock	2½	2½
31/3	Burmah	31 9/16	31 9/16
7/6	Canadian Eagle	7/10½	8/4½
3¼½	Kern Oil (5/4)	3¼½	3/10½
1½	Lobitos	1½	1½
10/0	Lt. & Th. Have.	9/6	10/6
5/1½	Mexican Eagle	5/3	5/6
4/6	Phœnix	5/6	6/6
35½	Royal Dutch	32	32½
81½	Shell Unions	81½	81½
4/9	Trinidad Leaseh.	7/3	8/1½
46/0	Trinidad Pet. Dev.	43/6	49/6
1	U.O.C. Holdings	1/9	2/6
—	A. Ecuadorian	19/6	20/6
—	A-Iran. 5% 1st Pf.	27/9	29/9
—	A-Iran. 6% 2nd Pf.	29/3	31/3

RUBBERS.

Aug. 31.			
23/4½	Anglo-Dutch	23/4½	—5/8
7/6	Anglo-Malay	8/6	—
2/0	Bukit Mertajam	2/4½	—
9/7½	Grand Central	9/7½	—
20/7½	Highlands	24/2	—
7/4½	Jugra Lands	9/3	—
10/4½	Kuala Lumpur	9/3½	—
3/4½	London-Asiatic	3/4½	—
15/10½	Malacca	18/6	—
27/0	Malayalam	33/6	—0/1½
2/3	Merlimau Pegoh	2/10½	—
11/0	Oriental Nickel	12/6	—
1/7½	Rambutan	1/6*	—
26/0	Rubber Trust	31/9*	—
19/7½	Tanjong	17/0	—
13/0	Tandjong Malim	13/0	—
45/9	United Sua Betong	52/7½	—0/3
6/4½	Valombrosa	5/9	—
Allagar	0/10½	Gld. Hope	18/4½
Ali Bum	15/9	Java Aml	12/6
A.Java L.	0/7½	Patalima	29/0
Batu Tiga	24/9	Sedemak	28/10½
Cen. Perak	1/10½	S. Siput	2/4½
Chr'wood	3/0	Tanjong	1/3
Chersion	27/6	Trg'rajo	13/1½
Cicely	2/6	Un.Sm.Ld.	0/7½
Dissinger	12/3	Tam Sang	1/10½
		Kuala-Selangor	2/9

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16/0	Aerated Bread	8/0	9/0
7/0	Lyoil Ord.	24/9	25/6
7/4½	Rome & Cit. (4/-)	2/9	2/9
10/7½	Internat. Tea (5/-)	11/4½	11/10½
2/3	Lyons (5/-)	4/6	4/6
8/9	Maconochie Ord.	1/10½	2/1½
4/9	Meriamon	8/3	8/6
6d 1½	Nthmpton Ord.	4/4	4/4
—	Scribbans Ord.	3/6	4/0

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8/4½	Bleachers	5/9	5/6
2/3	Brit. Celanese	3/4½	3/10½
8/0	British Cotanese	8/9	8/9
4/0	Calico Printers	6/7½	7/1½
3/3	Can. Celanese	7/4	7/7½
28/9	Coats	27/6	28/0
37/9	Courtaulds	38/3	38/6
22/1½	Eng. Sew. Cotton	21/3	24/3
2/4	Fine Spinners	2/9	3/3
8/9	Jute Ord.	8/3	8/3
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8/6	Coast Lines	10/3	10/3
3/1½	Clan Line	3½	3½
3/1½	E.D. Realisation	7/3	7/3
18/3	Furness Withy	19/0	20/0
18/0	P. & O. Def. (£1)	21/3	22/9
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4 15/32	Brit.-Amer. Tob.	5⅝	5 29/32
6¼	Carreras "A"	5¾	5¾
15/9	Do. "B" (2/6)	14/3	15/3
6¼	Gallaher	5½	5 29/32
6½	Imp. Tobacco	6⅛	6¼
3⅝	Do. Canada	3 7/16	3 11/16
2¼	Tobacco Tst. Ord.	2⅛	2
—	Godfrey Phillips	1⅞	1 15/16

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0/10½	Baird Tel. Pref.	0/11½	0/7½
1/1½	Do. Def.	0/11½	0/7½
84	C.A.W. less 5% Pf.	94½	95½
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97	Do. 4% Funded	96	101
26/0	Marconi Marine	28/3	29/3
5½	Radio Corp.	6⅞	7⅛

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3⅝	Assoc. Cement	21 15/16	21 15/16
10/3	Assoc. Brit. Pic.	9/0	9/0
28/9	Beecham's Pills	1⅞	1 11/16
7/9	Do. Def. (5/-)	7/10½	8/4½
42/3	Boots Pure Drug.	42/3	43/3
20/3	Borax Con. Def.	28/0	29/0
7⅞	Brazilian Traction	10⅛	10⅞
33 3/16	Brit. Aluminium	53/0	54/0
34/0	British Match	35/3	36/3
39/3	Brit. Oil & Cake	2	2½
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27/6	Brit. Plaster Bd.	10/0	11/0xb
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24/0	Brit. P. & Light	27/6	29/6
8⅞	Cerebos Ord.	8 7/32	8 11/32
10/7½	Crittall's Mfg.	6/9	7/3
27/0	Dunlop Rubber	33/9	34/9
25/0	Eastwoods	—	⅞
0/4½	Elec. & Musical	0/3	0/0
1½	Do. 6% Pref.	1 3/16	1 3/16
28/9	Finlay (James)	21½	22½
9/0	Harland Wolff	14/3	15/0
29/4½	Imp. Chemicals	31/10½	32/4½
9/6	Imp. Smelting	13/0	13/6
5 11/16	Int. Combustion	5½	6½
8⅝	Internat. Nickel	45/9	46¼
32/6	Lever Bros. Ord.	31/6	32/9
38/0	Lever N.V. Ord.	1½	⅞
32/9	London Brick	26/9	29/9
3/9	Meters	—	4½
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59/3	Spillers Ord.	59/6	60/9
52/6	Tate & Lyle	54/0	55/0
32/6	Triplex Glass	23/9	24/6
67/0	Tube Invest.	62/0	63/0
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23/6	Unilever Ord.	27/7½	28/1½
1½	White, Tomkins	1⅛	1¼
—	Swedish Match S	13/9	14/9

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5½	De Beers Def.	8½	9½
9¼	Do. Pref.	10⅞	10⅞
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8/6	Rhod. A. Am.	19/3	19/9
14/0	Rhod. Selection	13/0	13/6
11¼	Rhokana	9¼	10
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16/0	Selection Trust	11/0	11/6
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GREYSTONES—Detached House, £950; two reception rooms, four bedrooms, good garden, garage, greenhouse; all modern conveniences.—G 1889, this office.

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HADDINGTON Road—Price £850; well built House; 2 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, boxroom, kitchen, h. and c. bath; good garden, space for garage. Seen by appointment with Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., Agents. 2 D

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